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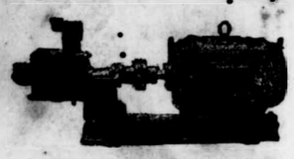

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NEW CABINET FOR BENGAL

Nausher Ali Left Out Of Huq's Team

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH TO-DAY

Labour Minister To Hold Portfolio Of L. S. G. Also

(BY TRUNK TELEPHONE)

CALCUTTA June 23.

All the eleven members of the Bengal Cabinet tendered their resignation shortly after midnight to the Governor.

Thereafter His Excellency asked Mr. Fazlul Huq to form a new Ministry. Accordingly the ex-Premier submitted a panel of names consisting of all the former ministers excepting Mr. Nausher Ali, i. e. in all Ten ministers.

THE MINISTERS WILL TAKE THE OATH OF OFFICE TO-DAY BEFORE HIS EXCELLENCY LEAVES FOR SIMLA TO TAKE UP THE POST OF ACTING VICEROY.—United Press.

Earlier

NAUSHER ALI SEES GOVERNOR THRICE

The Hon. Mr. Nausher Ali is interviewing His Excellency Lord Brabourne for the third time during the course of the day at 11 p.m.

The talks he had with the Governor at 7 p.m. lasted about two hours, at the end of which Mr. Nausher Ali wanted further time to reconsider the matter.

It is now expected that a final decision will be taken about midnight.—

IF NAUSHER ALI REFUSES TO BUDGE

CALCUTTA: June 22.

The latest development in connection with the Ministerial tangle is that Lord Brabourne had asked Mr. Nausher Ali again to see him this evening and that the latter was closeted with His Excellency for over an hour.

The Governor has also asked the Chief Minister Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq to see him at the Government House, at 9-30 p.m. In the mean time rumours are current in political circles that, if Mr. Nausher Ali does not change his mind and sticks to his decision not to resign in the present circumstances, the Governor will, in all probability, not exercise his discretionary powers at this stage in view of Mr. Nausher Ali's contention that the dispute is nothing, but a domestic one.

It is, therefore, felt certain that Mr. Fazlul Huq will tender resignation of his Cabinet to-morrow morning. If even after this, Mr. Nausher Ali adheres to his decision, the Governor may then demand his resignation, so that His Excellency may proceed to have another Ministry formed before his departure for Simla to-morrow evening.—A.P.

BENGAL CABINET CRISIS WORSENS

CALCUTTA: June 22.

Immediately on his arrival here this morning His Excellency Lord Brabourne attended a meeting of the Council of Ministers at the Secretariat. The meeting which is still going on will, it is believed, review the situation arising out of Mr. Nausher Ali's refusing to resign from the Cabinet as he has been asked to do by the Chief Minister.

The "Associated Press" understands that Mr. Nausher Ali, Public Health Minister, sent a reply this morning to the Chief Minister.

Mr. Nausher Ali is stated to have maintained that he had grave doubts as to the rights of the Chief Minister to call upon him to tender his resignation from the Cabinet. He therefore regretted that he could not comply with the request of the Chief Minister at this stage. He maintains that there had never been any joint responsibility either in fact or in law and that the responsibilities of the ministers were several and individual.

He held the view that so long as he does not resign voluntarily or is not removed from office by His Excellency the Governor acting in his discretion, or so long as an adverse vote is not passed against him by the Assembly, he is not relieved of the trust reposed in him and of the duties and responsibilities of his office as Minister, for the faithful discharge of which he had taken the Oath.

It is not expected, he said, that His Excellency the Governor will participate in this domestic quarrel amongst the Ministers. He asks the Chief Minister to advise His Excellency to summon an early session of the Assembly for a verdict on the subject. He asserts that he commands the confidence of the majority of the Assembly and was prepared to shoulder the responsibility of administration if called upon to do so.

It is further understood that Mr. Nausher Ali has sent a copy of his reply to the Chief Minister together with all the correspondence that had passed between the Chief Minister and himself to His Excellency the Governor.—A.P.

BRABOURNE TO CONSULT SIMLA AND WHITEHALL?

CALCUTTA. June 22.

An alternative to the resignation of his Cabinet consequent on the Hon. Mr. Nausher Ali's refusal to resign has been devised by the Chief Minister Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq.

It is understood that at this morning's meeting of the Council of Ministers at the Secretariat the Chief Minister informed Lord Brabourne that he had no confidence in his Minister for Public Health, Mr. Nausher Ali, and requested His Excellency to use his discretion and ask Mr. Nausher Ali to resign. The Governor's reply is expected in the course of the day.

If the Governor acts according to the advice of His Chief Minister, and Mr. Nausher Ali resigns at His Excellency's request another Muslim M.L.A. will be taken on the Cabinet. If, however, the Governor does not agree to the proposal of the Chief Minister, then the latter will, it is understood, submit the resignation of his Cabinet to-morrow morning.

It is believed in political circles that before taking any action in the matter, Lord Brabourne may consult Simla and Whitehall.—A.P.

TO SUBSTANTIATE HIS CLAIM

CALCUTTA, June 22.

Lord Brabourne is, thereupon, reported to have asked the Health Minister to satisfy His Excellency that he had the support of more than 125 members of the Bengal Assembly.

To this, Mr. Nausher Ali argued that, if he is given two days' time he could substantiate his claim.

His Excellency is understood to have expressed his inability to disregard the advice of his Chief Minister in this matter, so long

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Berar & C. P. Dispute

Sardar Hears Claims And Counter Claims For Allocation Of Revenues

WARDHAGANJ, June 22.

Mr. Vallabhbhai Patel heard today the claims and counter claims for the allocation of revenues between Berar and the Central Provinces.

Among those who participated in the discussions were Messrs. Ravishankar Shukla, Gole, Deshmukh and Misra (Ministers of C. P.), Mr. M. S. Aney and Mr. Brijlal Bayani.

It will be recalled that at the Calcutta meeting of the Congress Working Committee Mr.. Vallabhbhai Patel was requested to hear the claims and counterclaims and help in the solution of this question.

It is understood that to-day the Berar and C. P. representatives acquainted the Sardar with the facts which was followed by a discussion.

It is likely that there will be a further meeting before the Sardar gives his decision.—A. P.

AIR BOMBING IN SPAIN

Govt. To Collaborate With International Commission

LONDON, June 21.

It is officially learned that the Spanish Republican Government is ready to collaborate with the International Commission which, the British Government proposes, shall be established to enquire into the air-bombings in Spain.—Reuter.

JUTE GODOWN ABLAZE

CALCUTTA: June 22.

A fire broke out shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon in the Union Jute Press, Cossipore. It originated in a double-storeyed godown, stacked with several thousands of loose and 'kutcha' jute bales.

Five engines were rushed to the scene and the fire brigade succeeded in bringing the flames under control in about an hour.

Only a trailer pump was left as a stand-by for the night.—A.P.

CAWNPORE STRIKE TO END?

Employers' Deputation Wait On Premier And Ministers

NAINITAL, June 22.

The deputation of Cawnpore employers waited on the Premier Mr. Pant and Ministers K. N. Katju and Sampurnanand to-day. No definite decisions were taken but it is understood settlement of the strike is imminent and Cawnpore mills may resume work within three or four days.—A. P.

U. P. Congress Circular To District And City Committees

LUCKNOW, June 22.

Frantic efforts are being made by the United Provinces Provincial Congress Committee to mitigate the sufferings of the Cawnpore labour strikers.

Mr. Mohanlal Saxena, M.L.A. (Central), President of the Provincial Congress Committee, in the course of a Circular to all the District and City Congress Committees in the Province, has asked them each to contribute anything over Rs 100 immediately towards the Strikers' Relief Fund, and contribute later according to their financial position regularly.

The Circular adds that though the resolution of the Provincial Congress Committee to help the strikers in every possible manner has strengthened their hands, the employers want the strike to fizzle out by prolonging it for as long a period as possible. Hence, help is needed for the support of the strikers and their dependents.

Arrangements for collecting funds throughout the Province have already been made.—United Press.

For Congress Party Meeting At Lucknow

NAINITAL, June 22.

Premier Pant, Dr. Katju and Mr. Sampurnanand are leaving for Lucknow on June 24 to attend a meeting of the Congress party.

The Premier will thereafter stay in Lucknow to attend the meetings of the U. P. Tenancy Bill Select Committee, Nainital.

It is understood that the next session of the U. P. Assembly will commence on July 25.—A. P.

Gag Order On Congress Socialist

Asked Not To Participate In Campaign In Support Of U. P. Tenancy Bill

BENARES: June 22.

Owing to tension between Zamindars and Kisans, the District Magistrate of Benares has served this evening a notice under Section 144, Criminal Procedure Code, on Mr. S. T. Tripathi, a Congress Socialist worker, prohibiting him from organising or attending peasants' meetings for observance of the U.P. Government's Tenancy Bill Day on June 24 in Mantigaon village in Benares District. The Magistrate warns Mr. Tripathi that, if he disobeys the order he will be prosecuted under Section 188, I.P.C.—A.P.

Bishop To Fly To London

CALCUTTA: June 22.

It is understood that the Bishop of Calcutta has considerably improved in health and is returning from Darjeeling to Calcutta. He is expected to leave by a flying boat for England, where he will undergo another operation.—A.P.

Unity Talks At Wardha

Result Of Bose-Jinnah Conversations To Go Before Congress Cabinet

WARDHA, June 22.

Contrary to expectations Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose did not arrive here to-day and he is now expected to arrive to-morrow afternoon.

Acharya Kripalani, General Secretary, A.I.C.C., who is already here, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, who arrived here yesterday and Babu Rajendra Prasad, who has just recovered from severe illness, met Mahatma Gandhi at Shevgaon yesterday and again this afternoon.

Now it transpires that there is no likelihood of the present conversations among leaders leading to definite conclusions on Jinnah-Bose talks. The subject is now expected to be placed before the meeting of the Working Committee at an early date for final decision. It is pointed out that though the Working Committee as such is not possessed of negotiations in a formal manner, the question is of such vital importance that it should not be left to the decision of a few, however highly placed, but should be judged by the Working Committee.

The fact that the latest communication from Mr. Jinnah which now awaits the Congress President's reply emoodies the view of the Council of the All India Muslim League is also stated to have influenced the decision to bring the matter before the Working Committee.

The Committee is expected to meet within a fortnight at Wardha.—A. P.

JAWAHAR LEAVES FOR LONDON

Meets French Ex-Minister And T. U. C. Leaders

PARIS, June 21.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru leaves for London to-morrow evening. He spent to-day seeing Trade Union and Co-operative Leaders, the ex-Air-Minister M. Pierre Cot and Indian residents in Paris.

JAWAHAR IN LONDON TO-DAY

Reception At House Of Commons

LONDON June 22.

Pandit Nehru arrives in London to-morrow morning. He will be given a reception at the House of Commons in the afternoon.—Reuter.

SARKAR SEES SUBHAS

Nature Of Talks Not Divulged

CALCUTTA: June 22.

The Hon. Mr. Nalinranjan Sarkar, Finance Minister, Bengal, twice called on the Congress President, Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose, in the course of the past two days and spent some considerable time with him. Enquiries in political circles, however, have failed to throw any light as to the nature of the discussions.—A.P.

Bose Suffering From Cold

CALCUTTA, June 22.

Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose, Congress President, is suffering from cold and inflammation of tonsils.

Despite indifferent health, he is proceeding to Wardha with Moulana abul Kalam Azad this evening. As at present arranged, he returns to Calcutta on June 27.—United Press.

Ceylon's Bid For Own Currency System

Opinions Invited On London Committee's Proposal: Two Alternative Courses

BOMBAY: June 22.

That the proposed Currency Legislation by the Ceylon Government, by which it is sought to create a separate currency for Ceylon on the basis of a Ceylon rupee, which should be linked with the Indian legal tender rupee and an optional link with sterling, may interfere with the trade relations between Ceylon and India is the general view in Bombay commercial circles.

The recommendations of the London Expert Committee to which the Ceylon Government had referred the matter and which had been circulated for eliciting opinion of the Ceylon commercial community before legislation is taken on the basis of these recommendations, are published by the Finance Secretary to the Government of Ceylon in a 'communique' as follows:—

Basis Of Change

The question of changing the basis of Ceylon currency has been under consideration for the last two years. At present Ceylon uses the Indian rupee, each Ceylon currency note being a promise to pay on demand one or more Indian silver rupees. To enable the Currency Commissioners to meet this promise, a large number of Indian silver rupees (now 14,000,000) has to be kept in the treasury. No interest is earned on this large sum.

Since 1916, most of the units of the Empire, which previously used the currencies of other units have created currencies of their own. Ceylon is almost the only unit of any size, which does not possess its own currency.

PROBLEM FOR SOLUTION.

In the light of the above facts the question arises whether Ceylon should follow the example of other countries and set up a currency of her own. Such a currency should clearly not be an entirely independent one, which would be unsuitable to a small country; it must be linked to the currency of some other country by making Ceylon currency exchangeable with that other currency on some definite basis.

"The Indian rupee is at present linked to sterling through the provisions of the Reserve Bank of India Act, which requires the Reserve Bank on demand, under certain conditions, to buy or sell sterling for rupees at rates closely approximating to 1s. 6d. sterling. Colonial currencies are linked similarly to sterling.

SEPARATE CEYLON RUPEE.

If a separate Ceylon rupee is to be created, there are two obvious alternatives: to link the Ceylon rupee either with the Indian rupee, or directly with sterling. In the former case, the Ceylon currency authority would, on demand, subject to a minimum sum and to payment of a trifling commission, give Indian rupees for Ceylon rupees and Ceylon rupees for Indian rupees. In the latter case, at the present rates of exchange, the Ceylon currency authority would, on demand, subject to the above conditions, give 1s. 6d. sterling for a Ceylon rupee and a Ceylon rupee for 1s. 6d. sterling.

An unqualified link with India would leave Ceylon in her present

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Two British Steamers Bombed & Sunk

VALENCIA, June 22.

British steamer "Thorpeness" was bombed and sunk off harbour this morning.

All members of "Thorpeness" crew reached the shore safe with the exception of a Chinese who is missing.

Reports are current that British steamer "Gloxinia" was bombed and sunk.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

NEW MINISTERS & THEIR PORTFOLIOS

CALCUTTA, June 23.

The ministers of the new Cabinet will hold the same portfolios as they had been doing in the former Cabinet, and the portfolios of local Self-Government and Public Health which were held by Mr. Nausher Ali will be administered by Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy in addition to his own portfolios.—A. P.

Indo-British Trade Talks

Protracted Negotiations In Progress Again

LONDON June 22.

The Anglo-Indian trade negotiations are again in progress. Sir Mohd Zafrulla had meetings with Sir William Brown at the "Board of Trade" and also with the United Kingdom delegation. The general assumption is that the Negotiations will be protracted.—Reuter.

UNION JACK WINS NORTHUMBERLAND PLATE

LONDON, June 22.

Northumberland Plate run at Newcastle over a distance of 1 miles resulted as follows:—

UNION JACK (Nevett) 1
CELEBRATE SECOND (Sprague) 2
HURREDESAVOIE (D. Smith) 3

Twelve ran. Won by a head and the same separated the second and the third.

Winner was trained by Elsey.

Betting: 10|1 Union Jack, 9|2 Celebrate Second and 10|1 Hurredesavoie.—Reuter.

JUBBULPORE.— Mr. H. V. Kamath, Congress Co-ordination Officer, will start on an official tour to-morrow, in the course of which he will meet the Premiers of the United Provinces, Bihar, Orissa, Madras, Bombay and the Central Provinces.

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Wanted a few Salesmen for 'Aryan's Tea' on a monthly salary of 45 plus T. A. 15. Apply Tea Dept. Post Box 2318, Calcutta. (10427)

Wanted a Sizing Master for Luxmi Narayan Cotton Mills. Ltd. Suitable pay to a really qualified man. Apply immediately stating qualifications and salary expected to Managing Agents, 3|6, Johnson Road, Dacca (Bengal). (8832).

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Philosophical doctor intends Secretaryship with gentleman or lady. Write or see soon Doctor Ravishanker, Room 10, Madhavashram, Bombay. (10441)

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Motor Driving Taught Perfectly within fifteen days by expert on our car. Charges moderate. Apply Box No. 10440, "Bombay Chronicle".

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THE SWARAJ BANKING & INSURANCE CO., LTD. DHARWAR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a MEETING of the Policyholders of the Company shall be held at the Registered Head Office of the Company at Dharwar to elect a Policy-holders' Director on Sunday, the 14th August, 1938 at 3 p.m.

By Order of the Board,
V. B. HALBHAVI,
Vice-Chairman.
8839.

141. EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

Allied Schools, embracing the School of Accountancy, the School of Insurance, the School of Banking and the School for Civil Service will establish a self-contained organisation in Bombay in January. Applications are invited for full-time and part-time appointments as Correspondence Tutors from Qualified Accountants, Solicitors, Bankers, Insurance Officers and University Graduates. Applications, stating age and qualifications, to the School of Accountancy, Bush House, London, W.C. 2. (8831).

Be a Cartoonist at Home. Course is very interesting. Details from Raye Burns School, New Delhi, 2. (10402)

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245. ASTROLOGERS.

Gujarat's leading Palmist in Bombay for four days up to (26-6-38 Sunday), predictor of death of Mr. Sen-Gupta and Vithalbhoy Patel. Mrs. Sarojini Naydu, Sen-Gupta, Mrs. Lila Munshi, Kamaladevi, Nariman, Neli Sen-Gupta. Sarladevi and other leaders, solicitors, Share Bazaar President and landlords' hands have been examined by J.P. Mehta and awarded certificates. Will examine your palm and will give you correct life reading. Time 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. 4 to 7 p.m. Shri Jaswant Mehta, Palmist, The National Hindu Lodge, Prarthnasamaj, Opp. Harkisandas Hospital, Bombay. T. No. 40708. (10442)

468. FRUITS & VEGETABLES

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Public Notices

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that two Share Certificates bearing Nos. 3653 and 3654 in respect of ten shares numbered 18177 to 18186 of the Associated Cement Companies, Limited, standing in the name of ARDESHIR KHODARAM IRANEE have been LOST or MISLAID, and the undersigned has applied to the Company to issue duplicate Share Certificates for the said Shares.

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Dated this Twenty-second day of June, 1938.

ARDESHIR KHODARAM IRANEE.
10443.

NOTICE.

AHMEDABAD MUNICIPAL LOAN TENDERS.

The Government of Bombay have given their sanction to the raising of a loan of Rs. 40 lacs at 3 3/4 per cent. by the Ahmedabad Municipality for the Relief Road Scheme in four instalments of Rs. 14,9,9 and 8 lacs under their G. D. Res. no. 2159/33. Dated 2-4-38 with the condition that the issue price of the loan shall not be below par. The first instalment of Rs. 14 lacs will be raised on 25-7-1938.

Sealed tenders are invited from the public so as to reach the Chief Officer on or before 4 p. m. of 15-7-38. An amount equal to 5 per cent. of the face value of debentures tendered for must be deposited with each tender without which no tender will be considered. The detailed prospectus of the loan and the tender form can be had from the Chief Acct. of the Ahmedabad Municipality on application or personally during Office hours on working days. The interest will be paid from 25-7-1938 or from the date the amount of debentures allotted in full is paid into the municipal treasury, whichever is later.

Dated 15-6-38.
(Sd.) I. R. BHAGAT.
Chief Officer.
Ahmedabad Municipality.
8767.

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

Notification of an Improvement Scheme under Section 354G (1) of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888.

THE PALTON ROAD ESTATE IMPROVEMENT SCHEME.
Scheme No. 73.
for accommodating Poorer & Working Classes.

Pursuant to Section 354G (1) of the above Act notice is hereby given that I, the Ag: Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, have under Section 354C (1) of the said Act made an Improvement Scheme which has been approved by the Improvements Committee of the said Corporation under Section 354D of the said Act for a portion of Municipal Ward A of the City of Bombay for the construction of buildings for the accommodation of the Poorer and Working Classes within the limits of the area comprised in the Scheme which are shown by thick red lines on a map (being plan No. 938, dated the 18th October, 1937) and bounded as follows, that is to say...

On the North by Plot No. 8 of the Palton Road Estate.
On the East by proposed 40 feet road.
On the South by Plot No. 2 of the Palton Road Estate.
On the West by the G.I.P. Railway property.

The particulars of the said Scheme, the map (being plan No. 938, dated the 18th October, 1937) of the area comprised therein may be seen during Office hours at the Office of the said Corporation, situate at Cruickshank Road, within the Fort of Bombay. All the lands comprised in the Scheme are already vested in the Corporation and no acquisition of land will be necessary.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1938.

(Sd.) D. SYMINGTON.
Ag: Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay.
8746.

Public Notices

NOTICE

Applications are invited for the post of a Steno-typist in a Government Office in Bombay in the scale of Rs. 80—5|2—125. Candidates should not be over 25 years of age and must possess speeds of not less than 120 words in Shorthand and 45 words in Typing (which will be tested). Applications should be forwarded not later than 1st July 1938 to Box No. 8835, "Bombay Chronicle."

NOTIFICATION BY THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE. BOMBAY.

No. 8745/ 151-Impt.

The following draft of a notification, which it is proposed to issue under clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 22 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902 (Bombay IV of 1902), is published as required by sub-section (2) of the said section for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that any objections or suggestions which may be received in writing by the Commissioner of Police from any person or persons with regard to the said draft on or before the 13th July 1938 will be duly considered:—

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 22 of the City of Bombay Police Act, 1902 (Bombay IV of 1902), the Commissioner of Police has modified, as under, existing rule 15 so far as Wodehouse Bridge is concerned, and has also made the following additional rule 46:—

(1) The existing rule 15 is modified as under:—

Delete Wodehouse Bridge with the particulars shown against it.

(2) The following additional rule is made:—

46. Regulation of traffic over Wodehouse Bridge.—Owing to its critically unsafe condition, Wodehouse Bridge is closed to all buses and lorries and also to all other motor vehicles carrying more than seven persons in all or weighing more than two tons in all.

W. R. G. SMITH.
Commissioner of Police.
Head Police Office,
10th June, 1938.
8836.

P. W. D.

PUBLIC AUCTION will be held on MONDAY, the 27th June, 1938, at 4 P.M. (S.T.) at the P.W.D. Office Building, Churchgate Street, Fort, for demolition to ground level and removal of materials of R.C.C. chimney 6' x 6' x 40' in the North side of the South work-shop block of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Matunga, Bombay, with a portion of plinth wall 5' x 1'—3" x 1'—6" and closing the opening in the plinth with brick in cement masonry including making good the damage.

Conditions and particulars of sale can be seen at the office of the undersigned during office hours.

B. P. JAGTAP,
Executive Engineer, Presidency.
8830.

Legal Notices

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

I. C. NO. 19 of 1938.

In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act VII of 1913
and
In the matter of the STEYR MOTORS & GENERAL AGENCIES, LTD.
BECHARDAS GOVINDJI & CO., ... Petitioners.

By an Order made by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in the above matter on 17th day of June, 1938, on the Petition of the Petitioners abovenamed IT WAS ORDERED that the abovementioned Company be wound up by the Court under the provisions of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, AND IT WAS FURTHER ORDERED that the Court Liquidator be appointed the Official Liquidator of the said Company.

Dated this 21st day of June, 1938.

CAPTAIN & VAIDYA.
Attorneys for the Petitioners.
8828.

Public Notices

THE BOMBAY ELECTRIC SUPPLY & TRAMWAYS CO., LTD.
(S.D. 30.)

LOST SHARE CERTIFICATE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Share Certificate No. 35766 in respect of Five Ordinary Shares Nos. 341230 to 341234 of the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Co., Ltd., standing in the name of Ibhrahim Mahmud Kazi (Decd.) has been lost, mislaid or destroyed. Any claim in respect of these shares should be notified to the Company at their registered office, Electric House, Post Fort, Bombay, No. 1, within one month from the date hereof, otherwise a duplicate Share Certificate will be issued irrespective of any claim in respect thereof.

Dated 23rd June, 1938.
(10444)

Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that RUSTOMJI DINSHAWJI BATLIWALLA, NUSSERWANJI HORMUSJI SETHNA, RUSTOMJI BURJORJI MAZAGONWALLA, KHURSHEDJI CAWASJI BANAJI and EDULJI DINSHAWJI BATLIWALLA, all of Bombay Parsi Inhabitants, the present Trustees of the Indenture of Settlement, dated 27th August, 1864, have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client free from all incumbrances.

ALL persons having any claim against or to the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, possession, mortgage, sale, exchange, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement, or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Lentin Chambers, Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date of publication hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL THAT piece or Parcel of land or ground of quit and ground Rent Tenure together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being on the North side of Khetwady Main Road, without the Fort and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement Six Hundred and Fifty-Six and Six-ninths square yards, but on actual measurement 585 (Five hundred and Eighty-Five) square yards be the same a little more or less and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under old Nos. 2014 and 2751, New No. 9143, Old Survey No. 709, 710 and 708 and New Survey No. 5411 and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 670 of Girgaum Division, and are bounded, on or towards the East by the property of Bai Harakhbai, widow of Sakharam Bhaijibhoy, on or towards the West by Khetwady 4th Lane, on or towards the North by the property formerly of Ball Govind, but now of Bhana Valjee, and on or towards the South by Khetwadi Main Road, aforesaid and which said Premises are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D Ward Nos. 1860 and 1901 and formerly Street Nos. 77 and 3 and now under Street Nos. 33-35 Khetwady 4th Lane.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1938.

MAZAGONWALLA & CO.,
Purchasers Attorneys.
8834.

HIGH COURT OF BOMBAY

INSOLVENCY No. 197 of 1938.

Re: CHIMANLAL HIMATLAL SHAH, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, lately residing at Bhuleshwar and carrying on business at Pydhonie as a dealer in lampwares in the name and style of the Indian Store and Lampware Depot: ..... A Debtor.
Ex parte: GEORGE MELNIKOFF: ..... Petitioning Creditor.

On the 21st day of June, 1938, an order was made by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay in its Insolvency Jurisdiction adjudging the abovenamed Debtor an Insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1938.

S. J. RAHIMTOOLA,
Insolvency Registrar.
(8840)

Legal Notices

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MR. DAMODAR DEVJI & COOVERBAI, widow of GORDHANDAS DAMODAR alias GIGABHAI DAMODAR, the Executor and Executrix of the last Will of Gordhandas alias Gigabhai Damodar deceased, have contracted to sell to our client free from all encumbrances and claims the land hereditaments and premises described in the Schedule hereunder written.

All persons having or claiming any right, title, interest claim or demand in to or upon the said land, hereditaments and premises or any part thereof by way of inheritance, sale, gift, trust, lease, underlease, mortgage, charge, lien or otherwise howsoever, are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned in their Office at Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise, at the expiration of the said period the sale will be completed without any reference to any such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered to have been absolutely waived.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO:—

All that piece of land with the messuages, tenements or dwelling house standing thereon situate at Girgaum Road, Bombay containing 214 square yards or thereabouts and bearing Collector's Old No. 45, New No. 262, Old Survey No. 111, New Survey No. 8089, Cadastral Survey No. 2176 of Bhuleshwar Division and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under "C" Ward No. 2269, Street Nos. 308-310 and bounded as follows:—On or towards the East by Girgaum Road, on or towards the West by a sweepers passage, on or towards the North by the house of Pestonji Bapuji and on or towards the South by Karelwadi.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1938.

MADHAVJI & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
8829.

Auction Sales

BENNETT & Co.

AUCTION SALE OF OFFICE FURNITURE, SAFES, GODREJ STEEL CUPBOARDS, etc.

Under instructions from the Official Liquidator of the Indian Cotton Co. Ltd. (and New Berar Co. Ltd. (in liquidation), Messrs. BENNETT & CO., will on TUESDAY, the 28th June, 1938 at 3-0 p.m. (S.T.) sell by Public Auction at their rooms: Office furniture such as Milner's safes, Godrej steel cupboards, large and small writing tables, revolving bookstand, chairs, cupboards, copy press, Gestetner, Clocks, Filestands, Dining table, One lot stationery, New ceiling fans, etc.

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BENNETT & CO.

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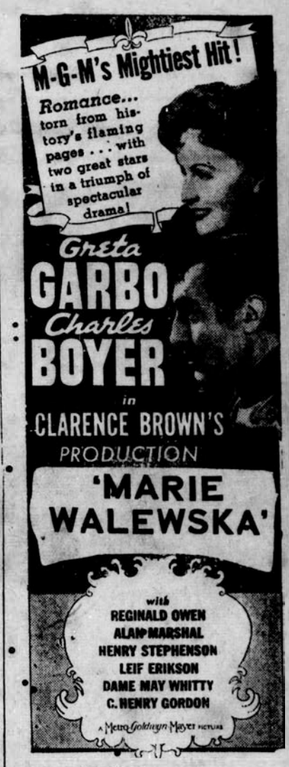

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(ON FORCE FROM APRIL, 1938)

Arrivals at and Departures from Victoria Terminus.

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Madras Mail	6 00	22 10
Peshawar Lucknow (Exp)	6 15	23 00
Calcutta Fail (Nagpur	7 40	17 45
Calcutta Mail (Cheoki)	9 00	20 50
Madras Express	10 10	15 00
Poona Mail	10 25	17 30
Punjab Mail	11 15	18 50
Nagpur Express	13 50	21 35
Poona Fast (Pass)	17 00	11 50
Poona Express	19 24	8 05
Allahabad Express	20 15	7 00

ARRIVALS AT BALLARD PIER

	Arr. H.M.
Frontier Mail (Saturday, only for Homeward Passengers	8 40

B. B. AND C. I. RAILWAY

Mails, Express and Passenger trains. Arrivals at Bombay Central.

	H.M.
Ahmedabad Passenger	5 35
Delhi Express	6 0
Gujarat Mail	6 45
Kathiawar Mail	7 25
Frontier Mail	8 15
The Flying Ranee (Mondays only) from Surat	*9 48
The Flying Ranee (Daily except Mondays) from Surat	10 58
Ahmedabad Passenger	14 0
Kathiawar Express	18 45
Baroda Passenger	20 33

*If Monday is a Bank Holiday, this train will run on Tuesdays.

Departures from Bombay Central.

Kathiawar Express	8 45
Baroda Passenger	9 25
Ahmedabad Passenger	13 50
The Flying Ranee (Saturdays only) to Surat	15 10
The Flying Ranee (Daily except Saturdays) to Surat	18 5
Gujarat Mail	20 25
Frontier Mail	21 30
Kathiawar Mail	21 50
Delhi Express	22 05
Ahmedabad Passenger	22 25

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Frontier Mail (On Saturdays only for Homeward passengers).	8 40

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M.A M.Sc. And Second LL.B Exam. Results

4 Candidates Get Ph. D. Degree

The following candidates have passed M.A. and M.Sc. (Mathematics) Examinations held by Bombay University:—

I.—M.A. EXAMINATION

First Class

74 76 97 118 119 127 161.

Second Class

3 6 8 9 11 16 22 26 31 34
36 44 48 52 75 77 82 83 86
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123 125 126 136 139 141 144
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168 175 177 183 185 187 188
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267 273 274.

The Scholarships, Medals and the Prizes have been awarded as under:—

The Bhugwandass Purshotumdass Sanskrit Scholarship to No. 76.

The Chancellor's Medal to No. 127.

The Sujna Gokulji Zala Vedanta Prize to No. 76.

The Kashinath Trimbak Telang Gold Medal and Prize to No. 183.

The Sir Lawrence Jenkins Scholarship to No. 76.

The Miss Sokaribai S. Mankar Scholarship to No. 95.

The Sir William Wedderburn Scholarship to No. 186.

The Shridhar Ramkrishna Bhandarkar Prize to No. 79.

M.Sc. (MATHEMATICS) EXAMINATION

Passed With Distinction

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GROUP—B

Pass

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The following candidates have passed the Second LL. B. Examination held by Bombay University.

SECOND CLASS

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The Scholarships and the Prize have been awarded as under:—

The Arnold Scholarship to Mr. Amritlal Kalidas Shah. (Candidate No. 298, at the Second LL.B. Examination of October 1937).

The Judge Spencer Prize to Mr. Amritlal Kalidas Shah. (Candidate No. 298, at the Second LL.B. Examination of October, 1937).

The Mancherji Nowroji Banaji Scholarship—Divided between Messrs. Sorabji Kekhashru Jamshedji Modi (Candidate No. 87 of the Second LL.B. Examination of October, 1937) and Shavaksha Ratanshaw Vakil (Candidate No. 144 at the Second LL.B. Examination of April, 1938.

The following candidates were declared to have qualified for the different Degree Examinations by Thesis during the Academic Year 1937-38 (June 1937 to 31st May 1938):—

D. Litt. Degree

D R Banaji.

D. Sc. Degree

D L Sahasrabudhe.

Ph. D. Degree

K K Dole, Y G Naik, E A Pires P H Valavalker.

M.A. Examination By Thesis

K D Kora, G V Nadkarni, P M Shah

M.Sc. Examination By Thesis

PHYSICS

B S Chothia, D J Davar, D D Desai, R K Dravid, C S Karve, A B Khan, J M Patel, S A Trivedi, P B Vaidya, M B Vajifdar.

Chemistry

Haligeri Rathnammu, K S R Hassan, M C Joshi, N K Joshi, M N Kale, K M Kulkarni, R N Merchant, S M Nadkarni, Sumatibai Navalekar, T B Panse, Y S Paranjpe, D R Sukhatankar, S V Watve.

Botany

R D Adatia, O T Gandhi.

Geology

H S Dalal, R D Godbole.

M.Sc. (Tech.) Examination

H N Banerjea, M B Desai, R L Desai, S M Kaji.

M.Ag. Examination

V K Gokhale, R P Talati.

CITY SHAREBROKER ARRESTED

Alleged Systematic Frauds On Client

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

Systematic frauds alleged to have been perpetrated by a share broker on one of his clients were described in detail by the Dongri police in the court of Mr. R. Mathalone, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon, Bombay, to-day.

Jan Mahomed Ebrahim, a share broker who was arrested yesterday stands charged with cheating and criminal breach of trust in respect of Rs. 11,817-10-0.

This alleged fraudulent transaction, the Police stated, would not have come to light had not the broker demanded more moneys from his client to purchase some more shares.

It was stated that the suspect was asked by the complainant in October 1936 to purchase some shares of the British-Burma Petroleum Company. Later the suspect told him that he had purchased 2,000 shares on various dates at an aggregate cost of Rs. 11,817-10 and this purchase was confirmed by the complainant.

After some time, the suspect again asked the complainant to purchase more shares. As the complainant had not sufficient money, he asked the suspect to raise a loan on the 2,000 shares that were in his name and purchase the new shares with the amount that would be realised.

The suspect representing that the shares had depreciated called upon the complainant to pay "margin" money.

With a view to pay back the loan which was not enough to purchase the new shares, and in order to raise sufficient money to purchase the new shares, complainant arranged for an overdraft with the Bank of India. He called upon the suspect to deposit the shares in the Bank as security. This the suspect failed to do.

Thereupon growing suspicious of the bonafides of the Share broker, the complainant made inquiries with the British Burma Petroleum Company and found that only 1,000 shares had been purchased by the broker in his name and even those shares had been disposed of by the broker without his permission.

The complainant thereupon lodged a complaint with the Police who arrested the accused and subsequently released him on bail.

Pending further inquiries his period of release on bail was extended till July 6.

Abdul Huq's Challenge To Pandurang S. Raot

Prof. Abdul Huq has issued the following:—

An announcement has been made by Pandurang S. Raot in the "Bombay Sentinel" of the 4th instant, claiming himself to be the Lathi Championship of Bombay and the suburbs. I am completely at a loss to understand as to under what authority he claims the title of championship and when and where the so-called Open Bombay Lathi Tournament was held.

I, being a recognised Lathi Champion of India, call upon him to immediately withdraw his false and bogus claim.

I have further challenged him to have a Lathi fight match with me, wherever he pleases, either in private or in the open.

CHARITY DRAMAS

There will be a charity show of St. Philomina's Drama on the 2nd July 1938, at 5-30 p.m. for children and on the 3rd July 1938 at 6 p.m. (S.T.) there will be another show for the public in aid of the "Education Fund" which will take place at the St. Theresa's School Hall, Girgaum. The dramas will be staged under the patronage of the Archbishop of Bombay. Monsignor Remedios will preside. Tickets are sold at S. Rose and Co., and at Furtado's at Dhobi Talao. The famous Yoddler, De-Mello, will be crooning on the stage.

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AROUND THE COURTS

Bombay, Wednesday.

Dhanusharidas Sudarshan while bathing at Chowpatty yesterday afternoon, it is alleged, found another bather, Rama Sitaram, walking away with his "hauda". He followed him and lodged a complaint of theft in respect of the 'hauda' with the Gamdevi Police.

Rama was remanded at the Girgaum Court till the 29th instant.

Sub-Inspector Shevde of the Gambling Squad carried out a raid at 10-45 p.m. on Monday at Kamne Wadi, Parbhadevi Road. Alleged sutta chits and marked coins were found on various persons. Four persons were arrested in the raid. Their names are: Sitaram Ganpat, Baloo Hari, Gokul Krishna, Gopinath Narayan. They were placed before Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon Police Court, and remanded.

Kamlabai, wife of a mill-hand, is stated to have committed suicide by taking opium.

It was stated that, of late, the relations between her and her husband had become strained because of the second marriage of the latter, which, naturally, she did not like.

Four days ago, when her husband returned from his work, he found her in a defiant mood. She had quarrelled with his mother and had refused to cook food. This irritated him and consequently, he slapped her in the face. She became very much depressed.

Yesterday at about 5-30 p.m. when husband returned from the mill, he found her lying unconscious. She was removed to K. E M. Hospital, where she expired.

Getting information that a brothel was being run on a large scale at Mehta Building, Vincent Road, Dadar, the Vigilance Police carried out a raid at the place last night.

It is stated that a bogus customer was sent in advance and at a given signal Deputy Inspector Tawde, and Sub-Inspectors Honavar and Rane raided the place. It is alleged that six or seven girls were found in the place and enquiries showed that both girls and married women were being brought there.

The police put under arrest Leabai Moses and her son Benjamin Moses, who are alleged to be implicated in running the brothel.

It was further stated that a few affluent customers who came in car ran away on seeing the police party there.

The Princess Street Police arrested last night, two persons who are alleged to have obtained ornaments from a jeweller on false representations and then pledged or sold them.

In putting up Babulal Savalchand alias Manchubhai alias Mansukdas and Jivraj alias Jivandas, before the Third Presidency Magistrate the police stated that on May 4 Babulal went to a jeweller, Babu Sadhan Chandra Das, and told him that he was a broker and that a reliable party wanted to purchase ornaments.

Next day he took the jeweller with some ornaments to Jivraj who selected a few of them valued at Rs. 125. He then sent away the jeweller telling him that he would pay for the ornaments after getting them valued in the Bazaar.

Both the accused are then alleged to have sold part of the ornaments and pledged the rest and shared the receipts equally. Subsequently they are stated to have admitted their action to the jeweller who brought the matter to the notice of the Police.

The accused were ordered to be released on bail till the first of July.

TENANTS START ORGANISING CHAWL COMMITTEES

A crowded meeting of the tenants was held under the presidentship of Mr. G. L. Patel at Lathiwala Wadi yesterday. Messrs. D. S. Vaidya, L. K. Oak and Mr Amir Haider Khan spoke on the immediate problems facing tenants of Bombay.

It was pointed out that unless tenants in different buildings organise themselves into strong units in the form of Chawl Committees, it would not be possible to present a united front against the house owners

The conditions prevailing in different Chawls in Labour area both owned by private landlord and by Municipality had become so revolting that it had become absolutely imperative to mobilise all the tenants in thousands of Chawls in Labour area. Particular emphasis was laid on the problem of having sanitary conditions and reduced rents.

The meeting then elected the following Committee to conduct the agitation in Parbhadevi area:

S. H. Jhabwala President, G. J Mokal Secretary, Messrs G. L. Patil, D. S. Vaidya, K. M. Mhatre S. M. Patil, K. V Pilankar, Porba Khandu Patil, Dhondu Janco, Ramlal Banwarilal, Durjan Jeet, Dhondu Sakharam, Mahadeo Vithoo, Devjee Pandurang Moreshwar, Rama Mahadoo Dhupal, Balchandra Dattaram, Mhadeo Baboo Yadukar.

It was resolved to address memorandum to Municipal Commissioner and the House owner. The tenants are most enthusiastic and firm in resolution to secure better housing conditions.

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R. A. Colaba Gain Another Victory

Harwood League Football

BOMBAY: June 22.

The R.A., Colaba, gained another victory in the First Division of the Harwood League by defeating Caltex by 4 goals to 1. A slippery ground rendered more so after a heavy shower just before the interval, did not conduce to good football and naturally the match did not attain any great heights. As a matter of fact, all the goals scored to-day were the result of errors on the part of the respective defences.

Brack putting the ball through his own goal scored for Caltex and then Ottman let in the equaliser, which he could have easily saved. After the interval Ottman allowed both the goals scored by the Gunners by failing to gather the ball properly.

In the first minute the Gunners missed a glorious chance through Osmond sending in a feeble shot wide of the posts and a little later McDermott headed over. A spell of midfield play followed with the rival defences playing sound football and giving nothing away. Robertson then worked his way through, but shot wide and at the other end Ottman cleared a dangerous situation.

Then Caltex took the lead in the seventeenth minute when Brack, the Gunners' left-back, in attempting to pass the ball back to the goal-keeper, put it into his own goal. The Gunners made a great effort to equalise and Rourke sent over from close range and later Ottman saved from Osmond.

Then the Gunners equalised through Perry scoring with a long ground shot, which Ottman let go thinking it would go wide, but the ball hit the posts and went in.

This happened in the 24th minute, but immediately after Caltex threw away another glorious chance, Robertson shooting wide from point-blank range and missing a sitter. The half-time arrived soon after with the teams crossing over on even terms.

AFTER THE INTERVAL.

Soon after resumption, the Gunners missed a sitter, Rourke shooting wide from three yards' range. The Gunners continued to press and forced a corner from which Osmond headed wide and a little later, Perry shot over.

Up and down play followed until the 16th minute when Rourke converted an excellent pass from Osmond giving Ottman not a chance.

Two minutes later, the Gunners went further ahead. Rourke again being the scorer. It was an error on the part of Webb, the left-back of the Caltex, passing back to Ottman, who failed to gather and Rourke rushing in netted.

The R.A. goal had a narrow escape and then the soldiers added their fourth point through McKee, as the result of Ottman rushing out and failing to gather properly. The final whistle sounded soon after.

Result:—

R.A. COLABA ..... 4 goals.
CALTEX ..... 1 goal.

TEAMS:

R.A. COLABA:—Dryden; Furner and Brack; Lord, McDermott and Booth; Rourke, Osmond, Perry, McKee and Morgan.

CALTEX:—Ottman; Corton and Webb; Blake, Wilson and Telang; D'Souza, Gardner, Robertson, Almeida and Karunaker.

REFEREE: Hibbert.

LINESMEN: Moulton and Kotian.

TO-DAY'S GAME.

Bombay United v. Cheshires at 5-50 p.m.

EDDIE PHILLIPS GIVES KNOCK OUT TO BEN FOORD

British Heavyweight Championship Elimination Contest

LONDON, June 21.

At Harringay in the British heavyweight championship eliminator fifteen round contest, Eddie Phillips (British) knocked out Ben Foord (South Africa) in the ninth round.

The fight had an unexpected ending. A righthander to the solar plexus paralysed Foord waist downwards. Foord was in complete possession of his faculties and vainly attempted to rise. Later he claimed that he had been hit on the groin.

With a left and a right, he floored Phillips in the first round, but the latter was up immediately Foord was on the offensive in the sound round. Phillips attacked in the third, but a punch on the body doubled him up. The referee spoke to Foord. Phillips easily evaded Foord's swinging rights and dazed Foord with rights and used his left effectively.

In the ninth, Foord again tried a haymaker right and as he passed Phillips shoulder, the Londoner crashed home a right.—Reuter.

STORY OF COLD-BLOODED MURDER

Appeal In Lahore High Court

LAHORE, (By Mail)

A story of rapine attended with broad day-light murders-seven in one day in a village in Ferozepore District was related to-day in the Lahore High Court when five persons, namely, Isher Singh, Gurdit Singh, Santa Singh, Kehr Singh and Naranjan Singh figured as appellants before a division bench consisting of Mr. Justice Ram Lal and Mr. Justice Beckett against the sentences of death passed on them by the Sessions Court.

According to the prosecution there were two rival factions in the village. Following a litigation between the two factions over the possession of some land, which resulted in a decree against them the accused appellants decided to wreak vengeance on their enemies belonged to the rival party. Armed themselves with guns and other deadly weapons on September 5 last they were alleged to have run amok. They singled out their enemies one by one for a bloody vengeance, and if they could not find one they wreaked their vengeance on the womenfolk either by murdering them or by robbing them of their ornaments. It was a veritable reign of terror in the village, and within a short time seven persons, including two women, were shot dead and five women were robbed of their ornaments and cash.

Arguments were addressed today in the High Court by the Counsel for the accused. The case had not concluded when the court rose for the day.—United Press.

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EASING INDUSTRIAL UNREST

Conference Of Labour Ministers In Simla?

(From Our Correspondent.)

NAGPUR, June 22.

The Simla correspondent of "Hitwada," Nagpur, says, Government of India are considering the question of convening a Conference of Labour Ministers from various provinces, with a view to devise the ways and means to ease industrial unrest in the country.

DEATH ANNIVERSARY OF SIR S. N. POCHKHANAWALA

Observance By Zoroastrian Friends' Union

Jashan gathering on the anniversary of the late Sir Sorabji Pochkhanawala, Dasturji Kaikhusru Kutar M. A President

The Jashan, Baj and Navjot ceremonies will be performed by the Zoroastrian Friends' Union, on Sunday (26th instant) at 3-45 p.m. (S.T.) 5-0, (S.T.) and 6-0 p.m. (S.T.) respectively, in commemoration of the Anniversary day of the late Sir Sorabji Nusserwanji Pochkhanawala, K.C. These ceremonies will be performed at Albless Baug (mill-side Verandah) under the chairmanship of the High Priest of the Parsis, Dasturji Saheb Dastur Kaikhusru Mahiar Kutar Dastur Darab Pahalna.

At 6-30 (S.T.) Dr. Jehangir M. Pavri will deliver a lecture on "Importance of Jashan" Dr. Minoo C. Bilfodiwala, and Mr. Ardeshir Behramji Homavazir will make short speeches on the life of late Sorabji Pochkhanawala.

A CONDOLENCE RESOLUTION.

A special meeting of the members will be held at 7-15 p.m. (S.T.) on the same day, and at the same place to pass a resolution of condolence on the sad demise of Dastur Ardeshir Mancherji Nalladaru, (Panthaki of Dadyseth Agiary) and Mr. Behramji Dadabhoy Palia (Dyeing Master in Swadeshi Mills) and fix the date for Baj ceremonies of these two members of the Union.

Mr. Kawasha Shapurji Dalal, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer after reading the annual report of the Union in the presence of the members only will make a short speech on the life of two deceased members.

PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT TO GO

Frontier Govt.'s Decision

PESHAWAR, June 21.

It is now finally decided to abolish the Publicity Department for the Frontier Government.

This decision has been the outcome of the Government's long-felt need to re-organise its publicity service on a more efficient basis. The clerical staff of the Department will now be absorbed in the Secretariat, and the Secretariat will henceforth be kept better posted with the activities of the various departments. A circular letter to this effect is being issued to all Heads of Departments and Executive Heads of various districts requesting their co-operation.

This arrangement, it is understood, will ensure more effective propaganda for the Government. The post of Publicity Officer will be merged into that of Mir Munshi—United Press

Indian Coastal Traffic Bill

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The decision not to express any opinion on Sir Abdul Halim Ghaznavi's Indian Coastal Traffic Bill, as it has emerged out of the Select Committee, is understood to have been taken at a meeting of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay.

Importance is, however, attached to the fact that, while the Indian members expressed their agreement with the object of the Bill, namely the development of the Indian Mercantile Marine, they did not think that the provisions of the present Bill, as it has emerged out of the Select Committee, were sufficient for the fulfilment of the object

The "United Press" understands that this amendment, moved by Mr. Gordhandas Morarji, President of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, had the whole-hearted support of the Indian members, including Sir Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Mr. M. A. Master, Sir Jehangir Boman-Behram, with the exception of two Indian members, voting against the very object of the Bill, along with all the European members.

Simla.—The Government of India have sanctioned the creation of a temporary post of Chief Supervisor in the Mathematical Instrument office on a pay of Rs. 400 per mensem for a period of about 6½ months from the 1st April 1938. Mr. M. N. Choudhuri, Head Supervisor, has been appointed to the post.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

Bombay I & II Programmes

V U B 244 metres, 1,231 kc|s.

Also 31.4 metres, 9,550 kc|s. for transmission I, and 61 metres, 4,905 kc.s. for Transmissions II.

A.M.

8 Indian music. 11-30 Indian music.

P.M.

12-55 Market rates, announcements. 1-5 European music. 5-30 Bombay Orchestra. 5-40 Master Raghunath. 6 Film music. 6-15 Vithalrao Gurav. 6-45 Musical Submarine, instrumental melody. 6-50 Kya Lagega Mol, Hindi bhajan. 7 To Bhumijan. 7-45 Commercial News. 8 It was in the News, talk in Gujarati by A. Mehta. 8-15 Bhishma Pratigya. 9 News in Hindustani. 9-15 Folk-songs: Marathi. 9-30 News. 9-45 Some famous trials, by S. D. Vima Dalal.

Bombay I: Medium-wave.

10 Gayanacharya Ramkrishnabuwa Vaze of Belgaum, Behag, tilak kamod and bahar.

Bombay II: Short-wave.

10 Chamber music, Bombay Chamber Music Society. 189th concert.

Delhi—I Programme

V U D 340 metres, 886 kc|s.

A.M.

7 Morning melodies. 7-30 Vocal variety. 8 Haidar Husain. 8-15 Vocal Variety (Contd.). 8-40 News in English. 8-50 In Hindustani.

TRANSMISSION II.

NOON.

12 For all tastes. 1 p.m. Major and Minor.

TRANSMISSION III.

P.M.

6 Mukerjee and his music makers. 6-30 For Jack and Jill. 7 On Wings of Song (The Punjab). 7-30 For Villagers only. 8 A recital, A. K. Khan. 8-15 Detective story by Shugan C. Raushan. 6-30 Tauba, play with a happy ending, by D. Sirmoori. 9-5 Duet. 9-15 News and weather in Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Vladamir Rosig (Tenor) and Olga Alexeeva (Soprano). 9-50 Matter of Moment, talk by Mary A. Hamilton, from BBC. 10-5 Joe de Souza and Dance Band. 10-55 News.

Delhi—II Programme

TRANSMISSIONS I & II.
31.3 metres, 9,590 kc|s.
Programme as in Delhi I.
TRANSMISSION III.
60 metres, 4,995 kc|s.

P.M.

6 to 7-30 Programme as in Delhi I. 7-30 Thursday at Seven-thirty. 8 Soho. 8-30 to 10-5 Programme as in Delhi I. 10-5 Variety concert. 10-55 News.

On Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and Sundays the programmes from Delhi II will be broadcast also on the following wavelengths:—

Transmissions I & II: 19.8m. 15,160 kc|s. Transmission III: 31.3m. 9,590 kc|s.

Calcutta Programme

V U C 370m., 810 kc|s.

(Add 24 minutes to all timings for Calcutta time).

P.M.

12-36 John Phillips, His Orchestra. 1-36 School Programme. 1-51 Meteors and Comets, talk by K.P. Ghose. 2-6 Gramophone records. 5-6 Aryans v. Mohammaden Sporting, commentary. 6-6 For Countryside. 6-36 Chandalika, playlet, by Tagore. 7-51 Late Sir R. Mukerjee, talk in Bengali by N. C. Dutta. 8-6 News, weather in Bengali. 8-21 Abdul Aziz Khan. 8-41 Nilima Bhattacharya. 9-1 Commercial news, weather. 9-6 News. 9-21 Orchestral interlude. 9-36 Civil Aviation in India, talk by W. Eradshaw. 9-51 Studio concert.

Peshawar Programme

V U P 200 metres, 1,500 kc|s.

P.M.

5-30 Announcements in Hindustani. 5-40 Raziya Begam. 6 Mehr Baksh. 6-10 Roshan Lal Bhatnagar. 6-30 Lala Rukh. 6-50 Matwali Adaen. 7 Roshan Lal Bhatnagar. 7-45 Readings from books. 8 Hour with villagers. 9 Lala Rukh. 9-15 News, weather report in Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 The Silver Lining, a talk by M. A. Latif. 10 Roshan Lal Bhatnagar. 10-20 Lala Rukh. 10-40 Do Parosi.

Lahore Programme

V U L 276 metres, 1,086 kc|s.

P.M.

6-30 Qawwali. 6-50 Ahmadibai of Patiala. 7-10 Prithwi Raj Soi. 7-20 Tufail Ahmed. 7-30 Churkha Club, talk in Hindustani by F. Begam. 8 Current Events, review in Hindustani. 8-15 Qawwali. 8-30 Classical music. 8-40 Prithwi Raj Soi. 8-50 Ahmadibai. 9 Qawwali. 9-15 News, weather in Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Variety Entertainment. 10 Prithwi Raj Soi. 10-10 Ata Mohammad. 10-30 Tufail Ahmed. 10-40 Ahmadibai.

Lucknow Programme

V U W 293.5 metres, 1,022 kc|s.

P.M.

6-30 S. A. Mahadkar. 6-55 Akhtaribai of Fyzabad. 7-20 Mujaddid Mian. 7-45 Ghalib, talk in Hindustani by Raghupati Sahai. 8 Akhtaribai. 8-20 Kavi Sammelan. 9-5 S. A. Mahadkar. 9-15 News, weather report in Hindustani. 9-30 In English. 9-45 Current Events. 10 Mujaddid Mian. 10-20 S. A. Mahadkar. 10-35 Akhtaribai of Fyzabad.

Madras—I Programme

V U M 211 metres, 1,420 kc|s.

P.M.

5-30 M.D. Parthasarathy: Vocalist. 6-40 A I R Carnatic Orchestra. 6-50 Shrimati Vasundhara Devi. 7-55 Vina and Violin: Khamaj, by A I R Artist. 8-5 M.D. Parthasarathy. 8-15 Rabindra, talk in Telugu by Hon. Mr. B. G. Reddy. 8-30 Shrimati Vasundhara Devi. 9-15 News, weather report. 9-30 Travancore, talk by Sir C. P. R. Iyer. 9-45 Wilhem Backhaus. 10 Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. 10-26 International Concert Orchestra.

Madras—II Programme

60.6 metres, 4,950 kc|s.

P.M.

5-30 to 6 Programme as in Madras I. 6 For Villager (Telugu). 6-30 For Villager (Tamil). 7 to 9-45 Programme as in Madras I. 9-45 M.D. Parthasarathy.

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GSF 15.14 Mc|s (19.82m).

P.M.

7-30 B B C Singers (B). 8 Soho. 8-30 International Horse Show. 9-30 News. 9-5 Matters of Moment, a talk by Mary A. Hamilton. 10-5 Men Who Make the Shows.

10-50 to 11-45 p.m. Arabic Programme.

LATE MR. BRIJLAL PALIRAM

Marwari Community In Entire Sorrow

(From A Correspondent.)

On Saturday last Marwari community in Bombay was plunged in gloom on learning the sad and untimely death of Sheth Brijlal Paliram, due to heart-failure.

Late Syt. Brijlal was the son of Sheth Paliram Matharadas, a well-known business magnate of Bombay, and was a member of the East India Cotton Association, and was one of the leading merchants in cotton, linseed, silver, etc

Born in Vikram Samvat 1952, in ordinary circumstances, he gradually rose to prosperity. He always helped the poor

He leaves benind him, his old parents, two brothers, seven daughters, two sons, a widow and a wide circle of friends and relatives.

LOVE GROVE BRIDGE

Govt.'s Help To Corporation For Widening It

The Government of Bombay have agreed to pay half of the cost from the Petrol Tax Fund for widening the Love Grove Bridge to the Bombay Municipality. This decision was conveyed to the Standing Committee by the Municipal Commissioner on Wednesday

The total cost estimated at Rs. 3,08,800. The inter-provincial importance of the road on this bridge was pointed out to the Government and they were requested for a grant from the Road Fund as the bridge, when widened, would benefit not only the local traffic but would also facilitate free movement of the passengers and goods from other parts of the country.

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Release Of Ahrar Volunteers

LAHORE, June 21.

Of the 1,000 Ahrar volunteers, who were convicted in connection with the Shahidganj agitation, about 700 have so far been released from Jail. A number of them apologised and others were released on furnishing the securities demanded.

Moulvi Mazhar Ali Azhar, M.L.A., leader of the Shahidganj agitation by Ahrars, and Mr. M. M. Bashir, Editor of the "Tarjuman-I-Sarhad", the second dictator, who have refused to furnish security and courted imprisonment, would be released on July 2 and 4 next respectively from the Mianwali jail.—United Press.

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Sunset: 7h. 19m.

S. S. 'Ranpura' with mails from London of the ninth instant due at 3 p.m.

Municipal Corporation, 3-49 p.m.

POSTAL NOTICE

Registered and Unregistered Packet Mails only (i.e. other than letters and postcards) for Mauritius and all Mails for Reunion per Extra s.s. "Balveran" via Madura, Colombo and Batavia will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 3 p.m. on Saturday the 25th and 9 a.m. on Sunday the 26th inst. respectively.

INDIAN WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY

The annual convocation of the above University will be held on Saturday June 25 at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the C. J. Hall when Mr. S. S. Patkar the Chancellor will preside and Mr. K. M. Munshi, will deliver the convocation address.

BOMBAY CONGRESS SOCIALIST PARTY

An informal meeting of all the party members will be held to-morrow (Friday), at 6-30 p.m. at the Party office. In view of the changes made by the central executive affecting the structure of the party and otherwise this meeting will be a very important one. Members are requested to be present.

STUDENTS' DEBATING CIRCLE

The annual elocution competition of the Circle is to be held on Saturday, the 25th instant at 5 p.m. (S.T.) in the City High School Hall, Thakurdwar.

Prof. D'Andrade and Prof. V. N. Naik will be the judges

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

BROADWAY—"The Charge of the Light Brigade". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

CAPITOL—"Caravan" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

CENTRAL—"Gopal Krishna". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.

EROS—"Magnificent Obsession" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

EXCELSIOR—"Dangerous to Know" Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

MAJESTIC—"Umaji Naik". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.

MINERVA—"Jeevan Prabhat". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.

OPERA HOUSE—"Two Women." Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.

PLAZA—"Kunku". Daily at usual time

REGAL—"Over the Wall." Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

ROXY—"Nirmala" Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.

SUPER—"State Express". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.

WELLINGTON—"The Prisoner of Zenda" Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

WEST END—"Prithvi-Putra". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m.

BOMBAY ASTROLOGICAL SOCIETY

Under the auspices of the Bombay Astrological Society Mr. A. S. Thaker of Poona will give a discourse on "Philosophy" at Saraswati Mandir, Near Kennedy Bridge, Grant Road, at 5-0 p.m. on Sunday, the 26th instant.

YOUNG MEN'S HINDU ASSOCIATION

A meeting of the representatives of Hindu institutions will be held in the premises of the Association, Vithalbhai Patel Road, on Saturday, 25th instant at 7 p.m. to consider about the celebration of Hindu Utsavas.

KANARA BROTHERHOOD

Under the auspices of the Kanara Brotherhood a programme of Vocal Music by Prof V. K. Harshe of Deodhar's School of Indian Music, will be held on Saturday June 25, at 9-15 p.m. (S.T.) at the Bortherhood Hall 312/B Vithalbhai Patel Road, Girgaon.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN.)

The Junu Municipality, considered to be one of the smallest administrative bodies of the Suburbs is making a rapid headway.

At a meeting of the Municipal Board held recently the question of imposing wheel tax on animals, boats and vehicles, evoked several objections.

These objections were discussed at this meeting, when from a motion of Mr. J. W. Gomes, which was seconded by Mr. J. I. Creado, it was resolved that the objections raised were not satisfactory, and that the proposed rules for imposing taxes be forwarded to the Commissioner for sanction.

The other important question discussed was the payment of the first instalment of the primary education contribution to the District Local Board.

It was resolved that the amount of contribution payable under the primary education rules 118 and 119 for the period ending March 31, 1938, and the amount of Rs. 168/8 being the first instalment of the contribution for 1938-39 be passed for payment, subject nevertheless to such credits as the Municipality might be entitled.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

The postponed Municipal elections of the Suburb will be held in October, except those of the Thana Municipality which are fixed for October 15.

In the Thana Municipal Board, Government has now sanctioned an increase of eight seats. Originally 21 members were elected and four nominated, but with the present sanction the elected members will be 29.

Of the 29 seats, two seats are reserved for Christians, one for Harijans, two for Muslims and one for women candidates.

June 30, will see the electoral roll published and objections for the same could be raised till July 15.

G. I. P. RAILWAY CONDUCTED TOURS

Hindu Pilgrimage Special

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY OF VISITING PLACES OF IMPORTANCE IN NORTH AND EAST INDIA.

The G. I. P. Railway proposes to organise a Conducted Tour to places of Hindu pilgrimage and sight-seeing interest in North and East India during September 1938. The itinerary covers 4,000 miles and includes such well-known places as Nasik, Agra, Muttra, Delhi, Hardwar, Cawnpore, Allahabad, Benares, Gaya, Calcutta, Puri, Bezwada, Hyderabad and Pandharpur. The tour will last for 40 days and visit over 30 places on the route.

The tour is sponsored and organised by the Railway Administration who have undertaken to do all arrangements in this connection. The train provides two kinds of accommodation second and third class. An "all-inclusive fare" covering the cost of the rail journey, pilgrim taxes, sight-seeing fees, conveyance charges and food, is being quoted which are: second class Rs. 215 per adult; Rs. 128 per child and third class Rs. 114 per adult and Rs. 75 per child.

THE ITINERARY.

The special train will leave from and terminate at Bombay. For the benefit of passengers desiring to join the tour from upcountry, arrangements have been made to permit them to entrain at Sholapur, Jeur, Dhond, Poona, Bombay, Nasik, Chalisgaon and Jalgaon. For them to come to Bombay to join the train or to return to their home stations from Bombay after the tour, no extra charge will be levied.

The itinerary has been drawn with care and should be attractive to all classes of people. Arrangements have been made for the pilgrims to be at Benares and Gaya during the "Pitra-Paksha," an auspicious period to every Hindu.

This is the first time that the Railway themselves have undertaken an all-inclusive tour for pilgrim traffic. In this instance, the Public will have the advantage of the specialised knowledge possessed by the Railway in the organization of such tours, in addition to the wide experience of the contractors in their arrangements for catering and sight-seeing. The public will, by the help of the organizers, be relieved of all worries such as arrangements for food and for conveyances during the whole course of the tour.

This combination of happy events augurs well for the success of the tour which should be popular with the public. The progress of this tour will be keenly watched both by the public and by the Railways and its success should encourage the Railways to undertake such organizations more frequently in future.

G. I. P. TO HAVE ONE UNION

Prolonged Dissensions Between Two Bodies To End

The G. I. P. workers are about to enter a new struggle against wage-cut, retrenchment and unemployment, now generally prevalent all over the railways in India. Late last Sunday after an intensive two-months period of negotiations, the two organisations of the G.I.P. workers have determined to merge into one union.

The decision was taken in consonance with the widespread desire of the workers on the line to have only one union, which desire was expressed in various organisational meetings held by the workers for the past few years ever since the new staff union came into existence.

Two sub-committees were formed by the unions and both variously arrived at the conclusion of having one union, under certain conditions.

Under the pact both the unions will sink their names and will come out under a new name which is not yet decided.

At present both the unions have two papers of their own. There will be only one organ for the G.I.P. workers in future.

Originally before the two organisations sprang up the G.I.P. workers came under the G.I.P. Workmen's Union. The G. I. P. Workers Union, whatever its organisational forms has been in existence ever since 1917.

The strength of a single union and the disadvantages accruing from two unions were felt by the workers and so the agitation which bore the present fruit.

It may be recalled that the G.I.P. workers carried on a huge strike with almost full membership of the railway employees on their rolls, reaching about 80,000 in 1928.

Though the present strength is only one-fourth or one-fifth of the old strength and reprsents nearly 20 of those employed on the G.I.P. now (about 83,000), it represents the cream of class. Conscious and militant workers who have gone through the fire of struggles and stood them.

Owing to the consistent abolition of vacancies, 25 years' service and 50 years age-limit restriction and other modes of retrenchment, the railway administration have brought down the content of the G.I.P. from 1 lakh employees to 83,000.

Satisfaction is felt in the ranks of workers in regard to the new move of "one union" and "one paper," and it is felt that this new orientation would help in fighting the uniform aggressive policy of the Railway Board, all over India.

LIFE SENTENCE CONFIRMED BY HIGH COURT

Mr. Justice Broomfield and Mr. Justice Norman at the High Court dismissed the appeals of Sada Gala and Laman Mana, who were sentenced to transportation for life by the Sessions Judge of Broach and Panch Mahals.

The appellants were convicted by the Lower Court of the murder of one Sardai Mala, who was alleged to have been on terms of illicit intimacy with the wife of the first appellant.

In challenging their conviction, the appellants alleged that they were falsely involved in the case by the Patil of their village, who wanted to sell their wives in their absence.

Their Lordships confirmed the conviction and sentence of both the accused, holding that the evidence was sufficient to prove the charge against them.

FILM STAR'S CLAIM FOR WRONGFUL DISMISSAL

Consent Decree In High Court Suit

A decree for Rs. 1,500 was passed by Sir Patrick Blackwell, the Officiating Chief Justice, in favour of Miss Sardar Akhtar, a film star now working with Prakash Pictures, in her suit against Darvani Productions, claiming from them Rs. 4,026 by way of arrears of salary and damages for wrongful dismissal.

The order was passed by his Lordship by consent of both parties.

The plaintiff stated that she joined the defendant company on July 1, 1936, on a salary of Rs. 1,600 per month under a contract. Thereafter, the defendants served her with a notice on December 31 terminating her services without any reasonable cause.

The plaintiff, therefore, filed this suit claiming Rs. 4,026 for arrears of salary and damages for wrongful dismissal.

After the suit had gone on for some time, the parties came to a settlement under which His Lordship passed a consent decree for Rs. 1,500 in favour of the plaintiff.

Mr. Jehangir B. Patel, instructed by Messrs. Joshi and Co., appeared for the plaintiff. Mr. M. S. Vakil instructed by Natverlal and Co., represented the defendants.

BOMBAY'S WATER SUPPLY

Bright Prospects For Next Year

The heavy rains during the last week have relieved the Bombay Municipality of the question of water supply to a great extent.

Last year on the 19th of June the Tansa Lake had only 9,936 million gallons of water. This year on the same date the water level shows 16,510 milloon gallons of water.

Likewise the subsidiary lakes like Vehar, Tulsi and Powai have received good quantity of water and if the rains continue as they are doing for the past few days, all the Municipal lakes are likely to be overflowing soon.

Last week Tansa Lake recorded 9.60 inches of rain and Tulsi 12.40 inches.

City's Health Returns

14 DEATHS FROM TYPHOID LAST WEEK.

The health returns of Bombay during the 25th week of 1938, i.e., the week ended 18th June 1938, were as under:—

The total mortality 553 was 1 less than that of the last week and the death-rate registered was 24.8 on the Census population of 1931 which compares favourably with that for the 25th week of 1937 viz. 559 and the death-rate 25.0. The average mortality for the corresponding weeks during the preceding quinquennium was 518 and the death rate 23.2.

Out of the total deaths, 170 were among infants under one year of age. During the week, Smallpox caused 9 attacks (including one imported from Mulund) and 9 deaths. Cholera and Plague were absent, during the week. There were 14 deaths from Typhoid. There were 6 attacks (including two imported—one from Deogad and one from Panvel) and 4 deaths from Cerebro-Spinal fever.

The number of live births registered during the week was 568 as against 605 for the 25th week of 1937 and 568 the quinquennial average for the corresponding weeks in five years (1933-1937).

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY

Summary of Meteorological Observation during 24 hours ending at 8 a.m. of 22-6-1938.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hrs +.006 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 82.2 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 78.1 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 86.0 deg. 0.8 (below normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 76.2 degrees 1.3 (below normal).

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 83 per cent.

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. WSW.

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 12 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 209 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 35 miles per hour.

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy equal 10) 10.

Rainfall in 24 hours 0.14 inches.

Total rainfall during the month 22.65 inches.

Total rainfall during the year 23.94 inches.

Weather remarks Rain.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 26-6-38.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 82.9 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 29.88 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.67 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

All India Weather

(From Our Correspondent.)

Poona, June 22.

The following are maximum and minimum temperature rainfall recorded at Poona Observatory.

	Max. Temp.	Min. Temp.	Rainfall Past 24 hours.	Since June 1. Departure from normal.
Agra	90	77	—	0.5	—0.5
Amraoti	82	74	—	8.1	+3.7
Akola	81	75	—	9.7	+6.0
Ahmedabad	95	83	—	6.0	+2.7
Ajmer	**98**	**70**	**T**	**3.4**	**+2.1**
Ahmednagar	77	71	0.1	4.4	+0.1
Ambala	98	80	—	3.4	+2.2
Allahabad	95	77	0.2	4.8	+2.8
Benares	99	81	—	6.4	+4.5
Bareilly	80	75	1.4	10.7	+7.7
Bombay	86	76	0.1	22.7	+9.9
Bangalore	86	65	0.2	1.3	—1.1
Bhopal	86	72	1.9	13.3	—
Baroda	90	81	—	7.3	—
Belgaum	80	68	T	6.2	+0.3
Bahawalpur	105	82	—	—	—0.4
Bijapur	83	71	—	5.5	+2.6
Bellary	92	75	—	0.2	—0.6
Bhavnagar	96	83	—	5.3	+2.0
Chittagong	87	78	0.2	19.6	+4.9
Calcutta	89	78	—	5.7	—3.2
Cuttack	89	78	0.1	7.6	+1.2
Cawnpore	90	78	0.8	8.9	+7.2
Calicut	87	76	02	31.2	+4.0
Colombo	86	77	0.2	1.2	—5.8
Cheerapunji	70	65	2.5	106.1	+30.5
Cocanda	85	77	—	6.1	+2.8
Cochin	85	76	0.3	22.0	+0.1
Dehra Dun	87	74	—	8.6	+4.5
Delhi	88	77	—	0.6	—0.9
Dehra I. Khan	101	78	—	1.4	+1.0
Darjeeling	67	57	0.8	23.3	+7.7
Desa	100	83	—	2.4	+.14
Dalhousie	—	—	—	6.9	+3.7
Fort Sandeman	—	—	—	—	—
Gorakhpur	93	82	—	8.9	+5.1
Hyderabad (Dn.)	78	69	T	—	—
Hyderabad (Sind)	107	83	—	1.5	+1.3
Indore	83	73	0.2	15.6	+11.6
Jhansi	91	78	—	7.7	+6.0
Jubbulpore	91	76	0.2	7.5	+3.6
Jacobabad	111	89	—	—	—0.1
Jaipur	94	77	—	4.1	+2.9
Karwar	86	77	0.2	26.8	—1.8
Karachi	91	84	—	0.1	—0.3
Kodaikanal	65	52	—	2.3	—0.8
Khandwa	84	75	0.1	13.2	+9.7
Lucknow	93	79	0.3	8.0	+5.7
Ludhiana	100	79	—	1.7	+0.6
Lahore	94	79	—	4.7	+3.7
Lyallpur	—	—	—	—	—
Multan	98	83	—	1.2	+0.8
Mysore	84	65	—	0.9	—1.9
Madras	98	76	0.4	1.7	+0.3
Maymyo	77	67	—	6.7	—0.4
Marmagoa	85	76	0.1	16.8	—
Malegaon	79	74	0.2	4.0	+0.6
Mussoorie	69	58	0.3	11.9	+9.2
Mahableshwar	65	59	3.0	55.2	+27.7
Murree	69	59	—	12.3	+10.1
Mount Abu	81	68	—	2.5	+0.5
Masulipatam	86	77	—	6.9	+3.5
Mandalay	89	72	—	1.3	—2.1
Mangalore	87	79	T	35.8	+6.7
Meerut	—	—	—	2.6	+1.4
Mercara	69	63	1.0	26.8	+7.0
Nagpur	87	76	—	8.9	+2.9
Ootacamund	63	51	—	2.7	—2.4
Patna	94	82	—	5.9	+1.5
Peshawar	101	79	—	0.7	+0.5
Poona	76	69	0.5	5.2	+1.5
Pachmarhi	74	68	0.6	10.7	+5.1
Fort Blair	86	79	0.1	19.5	+4.4
Quetta	90	62	—	—	—
Ranchi	85	72	0.2	5.8	—1.0
Rawalpindi	97	78	—	9.7	+8.6
Rangoon	86	75	1.4	14.2	+1.6
Ratnagiri	85	80	—	44.7	+22.5
Rajkot	95	79	—	7.7	+5.0
Sialkot	96	80	—	4.3	+3.1
Srinagar	81	61	—	2.7	+1.9
Sholapur	81	68	0.6	8.7	+5.0
Shillong	76	66	0.1	12.4	—0.8
Simla	70	53	0.1	5.4	+1.7
Surat	87	81	—	12.9	+7.9
Salem	95	75	—	1.2	—1.1
Trichinopoly	96	79	—	1.5	+0.5
Trivandrum	83	76	—	5.7	—5.0
Vizagapatam	88	79	—	8.0	+4.3

T denotes rainfall from 1 to 4 cents

DAILY WEATHER REPORT

POONA, June 22.

The low pressure area over the Central Provinces is filling up. The monsoon has been strong in region of West United Provinces to Bombay Deccan and in north Hyderabad and Bengal, fairly active in Assam, Orissa, Chhota Nagpur, East United Provinces East Central India, East Central Province, South Hyderabad and Mysore. There has also been fairly widespread rain on the West Coast, and a few falls in south-east Madras. Temperatures were appreciably below normal in the region of west United Provinces to north Deccan.

Chief amounts of rainfall are: Jalpaiguri seven inches. Mahableshwar three, Cherrapunji, Dinajpur, Mainpuri, Bhopal and Khandalla two. Raipur, Bareilly, Muktesar and Saugor one and a half. Silchar, Cox's Bazar, Chandbali, Seoni, Aurangabad and Mercara one.

Forecast until the evening of 23rd:—Monsoon will be generally active in Assam, Bengal, United Provinces, East Central India, Central Provinces and north Deccan. Fairly widespread rain is also expected in the west coast with scattered falls in the rest of the Peninsula and of North-east India. A few showers are likely in the region of Gujarat and West Central India to the extreme north.—A. P

No Rain In Dist. Kaira

(From A Correspondent)

NARSANDA, (By Mail)

There has been no rain in Kaira District for the last four days. The weather continues to be oppressive. The sky is clear and there are no signs of rain in near future.

COULD HARDLY RISE FROM HER CHAIR

Thought There Was No Cure For Rheumatism

BUT ONE BOTTLE OF KRUSCHEN BANISHED IT

This woman was such a confirmed sufferer from rheumatism that she thought it was incurable. She could hardly rise from her chair when she agreed to give Kruschen Salts a trial. But before she had finished one bottle her rheumatism was leaving her. Here is her letter:—

"I had rheumatism so badly that once I got into a chair I found great difficulty in rising again. My friend told me to try Kruschen Salts, but I thought it was a foolish idea, as there seemed to me to be no cure for rheumatism. My friend gave me two doses to try, so that I need not buy a bottle unless I benefited by it. I took one dose on Monday and another on Tuesday, and by then my pain had moved to another part of my body. Well, that was a good start, so I bought a bottle and it gave me great joy to find my rheumatism disappearing, and now for a long time I have been free."—(Miss) A.R.

Do you realise what causes rheumatism? Nothing but sharp-edged uric acid crystals which form as the result of sluggish eliminating organs. Kruschen Salts can always be counted upon to clear those painful crystals from the system.

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Support School For Blind

ACTIVITIES OF VICTORIA MEMORIAL INSTITUTION.

The report of The Victoria Memorial School For The Blind Bombay from 1st April 1936 to 31st March 1937 has been published The school has now entered upon the 34th year of its existence. The Institution has served the two-fold purpose of

(a) ameliorating the condition of the blind by affording them elementary instruction in reading, writing, arithmetic and object-lessons, and

(b) imparting instruction in handicraft and music.

The school work is conducted by regularly graded classes according to the different stages of progress. Gujarati and Marathi are taught upto book VII; as also elementary arithmetic including sums in proportion, interest and mental arithmetic. Instruction in English according to the Braille system is given to such uppils as need it, and sometimes also to outsiders, out of school hours.

Object-lessons are given to all the pupils in various objects of daily use, such as grains, vegetables, fruits, ails, vessels, etc., thus helping them to acquite a knowledge of their surroundings and to develop the remaining four senses as some compensation for the loss of their sight.

DEVELOPMENT OF VARIOUS SIDES

Special attention is being paid to the study and instruction of music, both vocal and instrumental; and the pupils of this class, who form the bulk of the inmates of the school, not only take the fullest advantage of and derive the utmost benefit from it, but also enjoy the same very much, as is evident from their proficiency in the subject.

Crafts and industries are also being taught on a small scale; and there are at present regular classes for teaching cane-work, tailoring and bidee-making which are able to show very good results. In the cane-work class, the boys make numerous articles of cane and bamboo work, both to order and for sale to the public. In the tailoring class, they sew and make some articles of clothing for their own use.

The boys also go through a regular course of physical exercises in the open air in a fully equipped gymnasium specially provided for the purpose.

The average monthly attendance of the resident and day pupils during the period was 78.5.

During the period under review, the school was, as usual, inspected by the Government Educational Inspector, Bombay Division, who reported very satisfactorily on the work done at the Institution.

A special feature of the period under report was the successful broadcast of music by the inmates of the school on several occasions, which were much admired by the public and the press

EXTENSION NECESSARY.

The building which had been erected in the year 1914, having been found inadequate for the growing requirements of the Institution and necessitated a constant waiting-list of boys desiring to be admitted, the Committee have put up an additional floor which it is hoped will remove the pressure and supply the necessary accommodation to all those who normally in need of it. A total sum of roughly Rs. 33,400/- has accordingly been spent thereon, which has had to be taken out of the Funds, and must therefore proportionately reduce the annual income from the investments.

An appeal made to the Government for a building-grant and to several public funds for help, having proved abortive, the Committee have had to debit the entire amount to the School funds with the exception of Rs. 2,000/- which they received as a special grant from the enlightened Trustees of the N. M. Wadia Charities.

The buildings, exclusive of foundations, plinths and underground (buried) drainage work, have been insured for Rs. 2,80,000/- and the furniture, equipment, etc., for Rs. 20,000.

Help Destitute Children

The Society for the Protection of Children in Western India write:—

Under the patronage of the Hon. Mr. K. M. Munshi, President, S. P. C., the famous Gujarati picture "Goon Sundri" will be shown at the West-End Cinema, Lamington Road, on Sunday, 26th June at 10 a.m. A Gurba performance by the girls of the Children's Home will also be staged.

The public are invited to come and help the deserving cause of the 200 destitute children and enjoy the picture.

BOMBAY CONGRESS SOCIALIST PARTY.

The Secretary B. C. S. P. writes: An informal meeting of all the members of the party will be held to-morrow Friday, at 6-30 p.m. at the party office. In view of the changes made by the Central Executive affecting the structure of the party and otherwise this meeting will be a very important one. Members are requested to be present.

Adult Education Classes

The Hon. Secretary B. P. Adult Education Association, K. R. Cama Oriental Institute Building, Apollo Street, Fort, (next to St. Andrew's Church), Bombay, writes:

PROGRAMME OF WORK AT BOMBAY: (1) Two-Year Courses; (2) Language Courses: (3) Terminal Courses; (4) Special Courses. At Dadar: Terminal Courses and Special Courses. Classes commence from 11th July.

TO-DAY'S CLASS.

Prof. P. A. Wadia will meet his students in Economics to-day (Thursday), at 6-30 p.m. in the South-Wing University Buildings. The other Adult Education classes will commence from 11th July.

Kanji Dwarkadas' Denial

Mr. Kanji Dwarkadas writes:—"The report in your issue of the 21st inst. that I went to the premises of the Travancore National and Quilon Bank, Ltd., that day and took a photograph is false. I did not go there and did not take any photograph."

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CONGRESS AND LOCAL BOARDS

In his address to the Conference of the Congress Party members of the District Local Boards of Gujerat, held at Nadiad on Sunday, Sardar Vallabhbhai did well to lay the greatest emphasis on the heavy responsibilities of Congressmen in the administration of the Boards. It is impossible to exaggerate the gravity of these responsibilities. The success of the Congress at the last elections to the Provincial legislatures has enormously added to the prestige of the Congress and to the same extent added to its responsibility in every administrative activity it undertakes. The success has also brought into the Congress fold a large number new recruits, especially as candidates for election to the Local Boards on the Congress ticket. A vast majority of these have been returned by the rate payers, who implicitly obeyed the Congress mandate without critically examining the personal merits of the Congress candidates. It has been particularly so in Gujarat and Sardar Vallabhbhai rightly observed that to betray this popular confidence would be a great sin.

Rights Of Local Bodies

A sincere desire to discharge his responsibilities honestly may well be conceded to almost everyone who has secured a seat in a Local Board on the Congress ticket. But a mere desire, however sincere, will not suffice in this matter. The abolition of Taluka Boards has considerably increased the work and responsibilities of the District Boards. On the other hand the Boards have not only to maintain efficiency in their administration but have also to assert their rights of local self-government against needless, though well-meant, interference by Government officials. In this connection it is interesting to note the following in the Sardar's address to the Nadiad Conference: "I told the Premier that he had taken away the freedom that we won in the field of education by enacting the Primary Education Act. The Premier told me that complaints were received from Maharashtra and Karnatak where the members of the Local Board themselves demanded their power over schools to be taken away." It is a pity the members concerned surrendered their rights instead of taking extra pains to see that the rights were more efficiently exercised. We have always expressed the view that the Primary Education Act went rather too far in controlling the Boards' educational activities. We are glad to note that the Sardar holds a similar view. We can now only hope that at least in the actual working of the Act Government will pay due regard to the rights and wishes of the Boards in the educational as in the other spheres of local self-government. It may be remembered that the Provincial Local Bodies Conference, which met in Bombay only a few days ago adopted the following resolution on the Act: "This Conference gives due credit and appreciates the intention of Government in the adoption of centralisation measures in the Primary Education Act. This Conference, however, regrets that Government have taken such a drastic and undemocratic step and points out that the uniform 'ex-parte' condemnation of Local Bodies was not justified. This Conference hopes that a time will come at an early date when Government will be pleased to revise their views in the matter." It remains to be seen how Government would respond to the wishes of the Local Boards in this matter.

Medical Relief

Among the most important activities of Local Boards is medical relief. But in this, as in several others, the Boards are much handicapped by lack of funds. The difficulty will be reduced to some extent by the recognition that is proposed to be given to duly qualified vaids and hakims under the Medical Practioners' Bill. It would have been a great boon to the public to give similar separate recognition to Homoeopathic doctors instead of permitting allopaths, vaids and hakims to practice quackery in respect of homoeopathy, while at the same time purporting to abolish quackery in general. We shall quote again the view of the Bihar Premier who recently remarked at the Provincial Homoeopathic Conference: "The allopathic system of treatment is too costly for the poor people. What they need at the moment is cheap medical treatment which can easily reach every poor home in the country, and, in my opinion, Homoeopathy is the only proper medical system for the purpose." Homoeopathy can certainly help Local Bodies a great deal in providing medical relief to the poorest with the meagre funds at their disposal.

Heartening Response

The hopes entertained by his admirers that the presidency of Subhas Chandra Bose would synchronise with a vigorous Congress drive in his home province have been already fulfilled in an appreciable measure. It was as galling to the self-respect of Bengali nationalists as it was amazing to people elsewhere that a province which has always been in the fore-front of the fight for freedom should allow a non-Congress Government to be in power. One of the main reasons of this unfortunate denouement was that no organised attempts were so long made to bring the Muslim masses into the Congress fold. The Congress President has, therefore, lost no time in repairing this omission and the success which attended his recent tour in East Bengal, which is predominantly inhabited by Muslims, is most heartening indeed. Subhas Baboo himself observes that he had never seen such exuberant and vocal mass enthusiasm before and he is confident that the Muslims in Bengal, like the Justicites in Madras and the Non-Brahmins in Bombay, will before long be within the Congress. This is most gratifying indeed and we wish that similar attempts were made in other provinces, too, to establish contacts with the Muslim masses. After all, the Congress programme, which is broad-based on the needs and aspirations of the millions of India's peasants and workers, is bound to appeal as much to Muslims as to the other communities and the heartening response which the Congress President has met in his last tour affords as much a justification for the past as a hope for the future

Army Indianisation

No surprise will be caused in this country over the questions and answers in the British Parliament regarding the Indianisation of the army in India. The question of limiting military expenditure, we are told, has always been under close consideration, though any tangible proof thereof is hardly available. The number of Indian officers is barely ten per cent of the total, none of them being above the rank of a Captain. That shows the phenomenally poor progress achieved after all the promises and assurances given so long. Even in the Indian Air Force, it seems, the number of Indian officers is maintained at the same level, though the air force was constituted only in the year 1933 and though it is perfectly possible to train a strong personnel of Indian airmen within a brief period. The persistence of this policy is grossly unfair not only to India but to Britain herself, as Mr. Sastri pertinently pointed out the other day.

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SMALL STATES MERGER

The Baroda Scheme

(By "BIBICUS.")

The question of the merger of small States and estates with a bigger State has now assumed great importance, and the Baroda scheme is being x-rayed in the press. Here is an attempt to give some bare facts and figures to enable those concerned to appreciate the whole problem.

In 1620, for "the tranquility of the country" and "the peaceable realisation of His Highness the Gaekwar's tribute" an agreement was arrived at between the British Government and the Gaekwar, when the British Government took administrative control of the States and estates of Kathiawar and Mahikantha. Many of these States and estates are situated either in the midst of different blocks of Baroda territory or closely adjoin them. These States are about 193 in number and their total area is approximately 2,500 square miles and their population 3,86,000. Of the 193 States, 70 are situated in Kathiawar, 50 in Mahikantha, 21 in Banaskantha and 52 in Rewakantha. Over 100 of the States have revenues each below Rs. 10,000. Of these States 81 have 'wanta and giras' rights in Baroda State.

Two Alternatives.

These small States and estates with the limited resources and small areas will not be treated as independent units in the Federal Scheme. There are two alternatives before them, either to confederate or to join in direct relations with Baroda. Whether a common administration is practicable from the economic and financial standpoint, is a very doubtful proposition as they are scattered here and there and their resources are limited and varied. Whether such a confederation would really act as an autonomous unit with a British Indian Province or an Indian State is another disputable proposition.

His Excellency the Viceroy, Lord Willingdon, at the State Banquet speech on 5-1-1936, referring to the Baroda Scheme, has stated: "Under this scheme, which you have sought to effect an improvement in economic and administrative conditions and to provide for financial relief to the States and estates concerned, you have wisely taken care to leave their powers and privileges unimpaired. I sincerely trust that that the Feudatories to whom Your Highness has referred will give your proposals their full and careful consideration, for they will certainly be well advised to do so".

The Baroda Scheme.

(1) retains the political status of these small States and estates.

(2) agrees to the right of appeal to His Excellency the Viceroy in cases of differences.

(3) creates a special department to be in charge of an Officer working under the Minister in his political capacity,

(4) enables the subjects of the States and estates to get the benefit of educational and medical aid of Baroda State and an adequate protection in matters affecting foreign relations and recruitment to State services. According to the scheme His Highness the Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda will

(1) exercise general supervision over revenues, excise and abkari administration,

(2) look after preservation of law and order,

(3) exercise the railway jurisdiction now vested under the Agency,

(4) arrange for Census,

(5) enact laws,

and for all this the Baroda Government will levy a quota not exceeding 10 per cent of the revenue.

Towards Fusion.

Under the Government of India Act, the Confederation should be an autonomous unit which can discharge all obligations on a federal unit. The Federal Government will recognise one Ruler as the head of the Confideration and all powers would rest with him permanently.

It is learnt that the Political Department of the Indian Government has asked these small States and estates to decide whether they desire to (1) form a Confideracy or to (2) come into direct relations with Baroda.

The Baroda Scheme is an attempt to merge the principalities of the Indian Empire which are too small to be made individual Federal Units. It retains the powers and privileges of these feudatories and extends the benefits of education and medical aid, etc., of the Baroda State. The sceme proposes a levy of a charge of not more than 10 per cent to look after the administration of these small States and Estates.

Under the present circumstances, the transfer to British India of territory which is Indian States or vice-a-versa is out of ques-

INDIAN LEADERS IN LONDON

Preparations For Jawaharlal's Visit

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LONDON, June 11.

Arrangements are well in hand for giving Jawaharlal Nehru a rousing welcome to this country. A monster meeting will be held at the Kingsway Hall on the 27th immediately after Jawaharlal reaches London. It is not expected that he will be in London for the next ten days or so. The interval will be spent mainly in Spain where the Spanish Government which has extended an official invitation to Jawaharlal is anxious to honour the Indian leader and show him the spirit and organisation of the Spanish people in their struggle against Fascism.

Common Interests

Jawaharlal's visit to Spain is recognised in informed circles here to be of considerable significance. More than any other Indian leader, Jawaharlal has brought out the affinity of the Indian National Liberation Movement with the peoples' fight in China, Abyssinia and Spain. It is only natural that he should welcome this opportunity of demonstrating to the world that the Indian and Spanish people are engaged in fighting for a common ideal and in conveying to the Spanish people the sympathy and goodwill of India. Jawaharlal will be met at Genoa not only by Krishna Menon, of the India League, but by representatives of the Spanish Government and on his visit to Spain he will be accompanied by Krishna Menon. Details of Jawaharlal's programme in Spain are not yet known. As soon as Jawaharlal reaches London, I will be in a position to tell your readers more about the visit and about his impressions of Spain. The only thing known now definitely is that the Government in Spain have arranged for Jawaharlal to broadcast a message to the Spanish people from Barcelona. On his way back from Spain, Jawaharlal will spend a few days in Paris and is expected at a later date to broadcast from there.

London Engagements

The big meeting at Kingsway which will be in the nature of public reception will be addressed by leaders of different schools of progressive thought in this country. Mr. David Grenfell, the Labour M.P. will preside and among the speakers will be Mrs. Corbett Ashby, Sir Stafford Cripps, Messrs. Palme Dutt and Harold Laski, Mr. H H. Elwin, the Trade Union leader, Miss Ellen Wilkinson and the Dean of Canterbury. Paul Robeson will not only be present but sing songs of national liberation. At a later date a conference on Empire and Peace will be held at Friends House and Jawaharlal will deliver the Presidential Address. Among other engagements I may mention a Left Book Club Rally at the Queen's Hall is being arranged by Mr. Victor Gollancz.

Mr. Bhulabhai Desai

In London

While it must be admitted that the news of Jawaharlal's arrival here has created the greatest excitement, we have recently had amongst us a number of distinguished Indian visitors all of whom have combined to arouse and stimulate the relations between the Indian students and residents in England and India. The Congress has been represented in the person of Mr. Bhulabhai Desai and our younger revolutionaries by such well-known figures of the Congress Socialist Party as Purshottamdas Tricumdas and Yusuf Meherally. Mr. Desai was here for reasons of health, or rather, I should say, was at Vichy in France to take the waters at the Spa. Having undergone his annual physical overhaul he thought it advisable to visit London for a few days and take the opportunity of renewing his contacts here. I cannot of course reveal the exact course of his discussions with such men as Lord Zetland, Lord Halifax and others but we may be sure that he stressed the fact that Congress opposition to the Federal Constitution was unshakable.

Mr. Meherally's Activities

It must be obvious from what I have said that our Indian socialist youth in this country would give a warm reception to the secretary of the Congress Socialist Party, Yusuf Meherally, who has been with us for the last fortnight or so. Meherally has not been particularly anxious to get into touch with the big men who dominate right wing and official opinion. He has left Lord Halifax and Lord Zetland scrupulously alone. His main desire, as he told me, is to meet as many representatives as he possibly could of the growing and more vigorous currents in British public life. That is to say with representatives of democratic working class youth and peace organisations in general. Meherally has been to Oxford and Cambridge, at both of which places he had long talks with the Indian students. In London too there have been a number of meetings small and large at which much useful work has been done. A public meeting held at Caxton Hall the other night was presided over by Mr. William Mellor, editor of the "Tribune" and among the speakers were Labour members of Parliament, the editor of the "Daily Worker", the Secretary of one of the largest youth organisations in this country. He also took the opportunity of meeting Indian residents and workers, seamen, pedlers, etc., in the East End of London and earlier in the afternoon there was a reception attended by nearly a hundred people. His exposition of the history of the Congress Socialist Party and the growth of the peasant and Trade Unions

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

A REASONABLE DEMAND

Mr. Mander, a Liberal M.P., is to suggest to the British Premier the desirability of appointing a British or International Commission to examine the conditions under which police bombing takes place on the North-West Frontier of India. In view of the International controversy the question has raised and in view of its value as an example to others, the suggestion is an eminently reasonable one and deserves to be accepted for immediate enforcement. But for obvious reasons, Mr. Chamberlain's Government, we are certain, will summarily reject both the alternatives and will most probably seek to denounce Mr. Mander for daring to suggest an International Commission to sit in judgment on British humanitarian methods. But India must take up the matter in right earnest, because India is directly involved in it. This scandal of police bombings is persisted in partly in the name of India also and in spite of India's declared opposition to it. In this connection we congratulate the Indian Liberals on their recent resolution. India must demand an impartial commission as a matter of right.

NON-INTERVENTION "PLAN"

The Non-Intervention Sub-Committee has, for once, managed to achieve a unanimous decision. It has approved of the British plan—and the British have planned mainly with the intention of securing belligerent rights for General Franco later on—including provisions for restoration and strengthening of land and sea control and establishment of observers in certain Spanish ports. This is quite interesting and looks on paper as a notable belated victory for non-intervention. But what positive good is it going to do? What sanctions are behind it against evasions which will be both inevitable and blatant? And even if there ever was any chance of the plan succeeding, Mr. Chamberlain's latest speech has surrendered it in advance and surrendered it with a vengeance.

THE REAL ACHIEVEMENT

In an "important statement" to the House of Commons reiterated to a contemptibly demoralised audience—so-called patriotic champions of a nation's honour and interest—the old cowardly plea which amounts in effect to a determination that whatever Franco may do against Britain or humanity he, Mr. Chamberlain, was not prepared to take any effective steps to stop him from doing it. Nothing, he said, is possible without intervention in the war which will "cut across the policy adopted by Government." And then he proceeded to suggest that "the only satisfactory solution would be the termination of war." If this does not constitute an encouragement what will? Worse still, the Italians have already taken the hint about the termination of war and, since anything but pusillanimous submission will cut across Britain's policy, they are going to terminate the war in their own way. Mr. Chamberlain, the Democrat and the non-Interventionist has helped to translate into decisive and speedy action his intention. recently reported from Rome, that, since his prestige is linked with General Franco's complete victory, "he will see the war through to the end."

A "SURPLUS" BUDGET.

The Japanese have announced to the world a surplus budget, the surplus amounting to £14 million. But the little joke has been made by these clever people themselves a little too obvious when they admit "the figures do not include an extraordinary military budget of £283 million." This means that they are already on the wrong side of the balance to the extent of no less than 269 million pounds. But even this figure does not fully represent their plight which is really judged by the fact that they have already enforced a considerable part of the Law which seeks to mobilise the whole life of the nation, economic and otherwise, for the war. And victory is as far away as ever. In fact they are meeting with more severe troubles and difficulties now.

VICTORY FOR WORKERS

The latest reports from Cawnpore indicate an early settlement of the industrial impasse which has overtaken that city. The mill-owners are now understood to be in a more reasonable frame of mind and they are generally agreeable to the terms offered to them by the Provincial Government. The Employers' Association of Northern India has, however, sent a deputation to the Premier to discuss the whole situation and to plead for certain safeguards. Now that the employers have accepted the workers' main demand for a wage-increase, it is to be hoped that other minor matters will be settled amicably and the strike called off immediately. The Cawnpore workers have shown remarkable resistance and solidarity in continuing the strike for such a long period inspite of untold hardships and they have more than deserved their present victory.

Meeting Of Nationalist Muslims

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—In the report of the Nationalist Muslim meeting held in Congress House I find a serious mistake that is likely to cause misunderstanding about the nationalist Muslims' attitude with regard to Congress-League negotiations. The following important sentence has been omitted, though it was there in the copies of the resolution supplied to the press:-

"Any agreement on nationalist lines will be welcome to the nationalist Muslims."

This was important part of the resolution because it refutes the allegation that the nationalist Muslims do not want any settlement. Our attitude is that we are in favour of any settlement provided it does not violate any national principle, but we are opposed to a settlement if its terms involve a sacrifice of national principles.

I hope you will publish this correction.—Yours, etc.,

ALI BAHADUR KHAN.
Chairman of the meeting.
June 21.

隻言片語

WITHOUT COMMENT

"Italian press reports have prepared public opinion for a refusal by Mr. Chamberlain to implement the Agreement until the Spanish question is settled.

It is, therefore, deduced that the deadlock must be broken on the battlefields of Spain rather than across the diplomatic tables in Rome and London."

—Rome Message.

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The Bengal Ministerial tangle has assumed serious proportions, says the A.P.I.

We doubt not. Mr. Nausher Ali's little joke has involved Mr. Fazlul Huq in a grave, potential crisis. If he resigns with his Cabinet he undergoes the risk of being reshuffled himself.

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The Punjab Government, it is announced, will introduce a bill "to render penal the publication of rumours calculated to cause fear, alarm or enmity between different communities."

What about evasions?

Will the law result, we wonder, in Congress Provinces, say Bombay or U.P., receiving more frequent visits from the Punjab statesmen like Maulana Zafar Ali and Sir Sikandar Hayat himself?

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By the way, Congress Ministries had better not try to pass a similar law in their own Provinces.

The Muslim League will strongly object and add another to its many demands.

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From a fuller report of a contemporary's centenary banquet at which Lord Willingdon reminiscenced about his 16 very long years in India, we are delighted to find his Most Honourable Lordship observing thus:

..."But there was another paper called The 'Bombay Chronicle" and I do not wish to say anything about it beyond this that it always objected curiously enough to every thing Lord Willingdon's Government did during those four years of war, and they objected entirely to any idea of having a national citizen's memorial to Lord Willingdon."

Guilty my Lord.

And "they" objected to the memorial with such success that the iron has entered deep and permanent into his Lordship's soul.

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And why only during the four years of war. "They always objected" during all the years.

By the way, "curiously enough" is rather amusing. But let us not forget that much should be forgiven the old man, even his naive self-complacency.

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The Chief Host declared: "The Marquess of Willingdon has been intimately associated with the *Times of India* for many years and he has been a great admirer of the *Times of India* almost as much as we are admirers of him."

The truth, the whole and nothing but the truth, in a most appropriate and eloquent nutshell.

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"We have done marvels in rearmament and the country is now ready to defend itself" declares Britain's War Secretary.

Yes, but against whom and what? That's really the great marvel "we" have achieved—the "we" have seen to it that the country does not know.

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The War Secretary warned "potential peace-breakers"—the distinction is rather subtle, isn't it, lest Spain, Japan, etc., might take offence—that "Britain has inexhaustible resources, financial, material and spiritual."

"And spiritual" too—as so convincingly expressed in Mr. Chamberlain's realism and his realistic pronouncements

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"The British Foreign Secretary entertained representatives of the Swedish press to a luncheon in London on Monday."

—Reuter.

What is poor, well-meaning peace loving Sweden intended to do?

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He was visiting the bandage-covered friend in hospital.

"What happened?" queried the victim.

"You were drunk and you wagered you could jump out of the window and fly round the square," related the visitor.

"Why," howled the patient, "didn't you stop me?"

"Stop you, nothing!" returned his pal. "I had two pounds on you!"

Chinese Forces Active Around Peking

Floods Foil Japanese Advance

90 Japanese Warships Concentrated At One Place: Chinese Make Vigorous Attack On Different Fronts

SHANGHAI, June 21.

Nine-tenths of the Yellow River is still flowing through the breaks in the Dykes, according to a Japanese report.

While the Japanese are busy rescuing troops from the floods the Chinese forces are most active around Peking. Three actions with large forces of guerillas are reported on the Peking Hankow Line interrupting traffic.

Guerillas also burned down a bridge on the new Peking Jehol Railway at Kupeikow, while the Japanese admit that 27 Chinese divisions are frequently attacking the Railway interrupting traffic between Taiyuan and Puchow.

Foiled by the yellow River floods in their northern drive against Hankow, the Japanese are pouring men, ships and supplies in the Yangtse Valley for a new thrust from the East. Twenty Japanese troopships have proceeded to Nanking in the past two days.

Chinese Preparations.

An aircraft carrier with 'planes also proceeded up river to join 90 Japanese warships reported concentrated before the Kiukiang Boom.

It is estimated that 70,000 Japanese troops passed by through Shanghai in the past week, most of which had been withdrawn from the flooded Northern Front.

Meanwhile, 700,000 Chinese troops, taking advantage of the lull afforded by the floods, are prepared positions with China's best troops supported by the new mechanised artillery units holding the innermost line.—Reuter.

Stop Coercive Methods

Telegraphic Orders To Revenue Officials In Nasik Dist.

NASIK: June 22.

The Secretary of the Nasik Congress Committee wires:—

The Hon. Minister for Public Works has telegraphically ordered the authorities to stop using coercive measures for the recovery of irrigation cess in response to the representation made by Mr. G. H. Deshpande, M.L.A., President of the District Congress Committee. Mr. Deshpande received several complaints about the alleged excesses committed by revenue officers. Mr. Deshpande toured the places concerned to investigate the complaints.

60 CATHOLIC PRIESTS ARRESTED

Sensation In Austria

VIENNA, June 21.

Sixty Austrian Catholic priests were arrested on charges of immoral conduct and will be tried under the German Criminal Code.

According to official Catholic circles, two leading Austrian Catholic priests were also arrested on political charges.—Reuter.

I. L. P. DECIDE TO JOIN LABOUR PARTY

LONDON, (By Air Mail)

It is now definitely believed that the I.L.P. is going to rejoin the Labour Party and the Labour Party has indicated that it shall welcome the return of the I. L. P. members back to the fold.

A conference between the leading members of the I. L. P Executive namely, Messrs. Maxton. Mc Govern and Brockway and the following members of the National Executive; Mr. Dallas, Chairman, Mr. Dalton, Mrs. Barbara Gould, Clen Attlee, Harold Laski, has been arranged for this week.

The Conference will only register the general wish of the Labour Party officials and the I. L. P. leaders. One of the factors which has influenced the I. L. P. for returning to the Labour Party is the recent attitude of the communist Party to the I. L. P. leaders. Recently, Mr. Politt the Communist leader, refused to speak from the same platform with Mr. Broackway. And it is also felt by the I. L. P. leaders that it was the left propaganda of the Communist Party which induced the I. L. P. to leave the Labour Party. Yet today the Communist Party is moving heaven and earth to get back into Labour fold.—United Press.

Punjab Assembly By-Election

LAHORE: June 22.

Lala Dev Raj Sethi, the Congress nominee, was the only candidate who filed his nomination papers to-day for the by-election to the Punjab Legislative Assembly from the Jhang-Lyallpur General Constituency.

If nothing unexpected happens in scrutiny, as on the last occasion, which takes place on June 25th next, Lala Dev Raj will be declared elected to the seat unopposed.—United Press.

Doctors As Victims

"Dangerous Game" Of Bogus Telephone Calls By Gangsters

BOMBAY: June 22.

According to various reports received by the "United Press" from eminent doctors in the city, it appears that an organised gang is using the telephone as the medium for its nefarious activities, which have put the doctors concerned to great inconvenience and to much loss of time, energy and money.

It transpires that the members of the gang sent out to eminent doctors calls over the telephone in the name of important personalities in the city, asking them to pay a visit either to their bungalow or to certain other places, where an appointment was made. When the doctors called at these places, they were invariably informed that no such calls had been sent out by the persons whose names were used by the members of the gang.

The motive of these operations on the telephone is not yet clear, but the doctors who were victims are unanimous in the opinion that there is more in the mischief than the intention of perpetrating capital jokes.

One doctor who is well-known in Bombay, told the Press reporter that he apprehended a dangerous game by the gangsters who were responsible for hundreds of such telephone calls.—United Press.

CENSURE MOTION AGAINST FOREIGN POLICY DEFEATED

LONDON, June 21.

Mr. R. A. Butler winding up the debate said to-day Non-Intervention Agreement had gone a long way in putting non-intervention into practice. The plan was to make it operate fairly to all sides. An improved sea observation scheme would make virtually impossible for a ship to enter a Spanish port without an observer or being observed.

The Labour motion to reduce the Foreign Office estimates was defeated by 287 to 148.—Reuter.

RIGHT REMEDY FOR T.B.

LONDON, June 21.

The Tuberculosis Fund has now reached over forty-one lakhs of rupees.

Major General Megaw speaking at a meeting emphasised that experts frankly admitted that the chief cause of the rapid decline in Tuberculosis in England, where a victory over its ravages was in sight, was the improvement in conditions of life of the people. Tuberculosis was increasing in India, and its spread could only be prevented by a process of educative persuasion.—Reuter.

Roosevelt Signs Pumppriming Bill

NEW YORK, June 21.

President Roosevelt has signed the 3,750 million dollar Pumppriming Bill. He announced that the work would begin within two months on a 350 million dollar works programme.—Reuter.

King 'Attacked From Air'

Spectacular Demonstration In English Channel By Home Fleet

LONDON, June 21.

The King aboard the "Nelson" watched a spectacular demonstration by the Home Fleet in action during daylong manoeuvres over a battle area of 300 square miles in the English Channel.

The exercises included a torpedo attack by 18 destroyers on "Nelson" and "Rodney", two hits being registered on each battleship. The Fleet was also subjected to a mass air attack. By 18 torpedo bomber 'planes, one missile narrowly missing "Rodney".—Reuter.

MAINTENANCE OF ORDER IN SANJAK

Turkish Troops Ready To Collaborate

ANKARA June 22.

Political quarters are more optimistic following reports from Antioch where the Turkish and French Military Missions are now negotiating. It is stated that the Turkish troops are ready to march to Sanjak off Alexandretta to collaborate with the French for the maintenance of order.—Reuter.

DISPUTE OVER SANJAK

Turkey To Cut Off Relations With League Commission

GENEVA, June 21.

Turkish Government has decided to break off relations with the League Commission at present supervising the elections in the Sanjak of Alexandretta.—Reuter.

QUEEN'S AGED MOTHER SERIOUSLY ILL

LONDON, June 22.

Countess Strathmore, the Queen's 76 year old mother, is seriously ill in London.—Reuter.

Annamalai 'Varsity Vice-Chancellorship

OOTACAMUND: June 22.

His Excellency the Chancellor of the Annamalai University, has approved of the nomination of the Rt. Hon. Mr. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri as Vice-Chancellor of the University for a further period of three years.

Mr. Sastri's term of office as Vice-Chancellor of the Annamalai University was due to expire this week.—United Press.

Address To Bombay Broker

AMBALA, June 22.

Mr. Kantilal Tijoriwala wires:—

Swetamber Ambala Jain Murtipujak Sangh presented an address in a silver casket to Mr. Ratilal Vadilal Punamchand, prominent share broker from Bombay yesterday evening. He has helped Atmanand College to the tune of Rs. 2.000 and declared yesterday Rs 1,000 more for a gymnasium building in memory of his father.

Principal Osman and Prof. Chandragupta also spoke on usefulness of gymnasium and hostel.

Mr. Avantilal Hiralal Bakordas, unveiled late Acharya Atmanandji's portrait in Atmanand College central hall yesterday evening.

Congress Leaders At Gudgeri

(From Our Correspondent).

GUDGERI June 22.

Messrs. Shankarrao Dev, Gangadharrao Deshpande, R. S. Hukerikar, Pundalik and Kanabur, members of the Enquiry Committee appointed by Deccan States Loka Parishad, Sangli arrived here this morning and were received by the president and members of the Gudgeri Laxmeshwar Praja Sangh. They were given reception at Gudgeri Harlabur and Ramageri. On arrival Mr. Gangadharrao addressed a meeting requesting people to cooperate with the Committee, which goes to Sigli and other villages. The members will address public meeting at Sigli.

Great artists, fired by the beauty of "Snow White," are writing to Disney from all over the world, begging for a chance to work with him. Great musicians, directors, some of Hollywood's finest actors are flocking out to the Disney studios offering their services. New departments are being built bigger and better things are being planned. Walt Disney is sweeping forward on his own success ...

AGGRAVATING LOT OF JEWS

All Their Businesses In Germany To Be Suppressed

BERLIN, June 22.

Dr. Goebbels announced that severe methods would shortly be adopted to suppress all Jewish business in Germany.

Anti-Jewish campaign continued today when many shop-windows were still covered with paint and in some instances tar which can only be removed with difficulty.

The secret police have given the proprietors of the stores permission to remove the paint but some appear to be inclined to the inscriptions until the times are quiter. One fashionable Jewish stone in the West End was invaded by storm troops who forced the customers out.

This is the first case of its kind hitherto reported. Well-known stores, formerly doing good business, are now practically empty.—Reuter.

ESPIONAGE CHARGE AGAINST NAZIS

German Officials Silent: Press Agency Refutes American Allegation

BERLIN, June 22.

A denial that any active German officers were involved in espionage in the United States is contained in a statement by a German news agency which comments laconically "As we learn from well-informed circles, there can be no question of espionage among active officers of the German Army in the United States".

German official circles refrain from taking too serious a view of the New York reports.—Reuter.

RAJNANDGAON STRIKE ECHO

Ban On Pyarelal Singh Lifted

RAJNANDGAON, June 22.

The "United Press" understands that the Durbar of the Rajnandgaon State has lifted the ban on Thakur Pyarelal Singh, a Congress leader, and has permitted him to enter the State.

Thakur Pyarelal will be visiting Rajnandgaon on the 23rd inst. to intervene in the deadlock that has arisen in the Textile Conciliation Board.—United Press.

"ABSOLUTELY FALSE & BASELESS"

SHILLONG, June 22.

Interviewed by the 'United Press", Sir Mahomed Saadullah, Premier of Assam, definitely denied the Press reports suggesting enlargement of the Assam Cabinet and characterised the same as "absolutely false and baseless".—United Press.

MUNICIPAL OFFICER'S RETIREMENT

Farewell Party To Mr. Patankar

A farewell party, on the eve of his departure on leave preparatory to retirement, was given by the members of the Assessment Department of the Bombay Municipality to Mr. G. T. Patankar, Assessor and Collector, at the Corporation Hall on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Rangnekar, Head Surveyor, read the address.

Mr. D. Symmington, the Acting Municipal Commissioner, made felicitous remarks about the retiring officer.

Mr. Patankar replied suitably.

BOMBAY CRICKET ASSOCIATION

Meeting At Islam Gymkhana On Sunday

The Managing Committee of the Bombay Cricket Association has resolved to form an Umpires Association under its auspices.

We are glad to inform you that a Sub-Committee has been appointed and preliminary discussions have hitherto been held.

It has been found necessary to convene a meeting of those interested in umpiring on Sunday, 26th June 1938, at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Islam Gymkhana Pavilion, when Mr. M. D. Pai will preside and Messrs. J. Birtwhistle, V.S. Dongre, A.A.A. Fyzee and others will address the meeting.

Accused's Petition Turned Down

Nizam's Executive Council Refuses To Lift Ban On Nariman

(From Our Correspondent).

HYDERABAD (Dn.): June 22.

The Executive Council, presided over by Sir Akbar Hydari, turned down the petition submitted on behalf of 23 accused (who were involved in the City communal disturbances case), for lifting the ban imposed by the Nizam's Government on Mr. K. F. Nariman of Bombay.

The accused, in the course of their petition urged on the authorities that Mr. Nariman will not concern himself with State affairs, as he will be on a professional visit. Now that the prayer of the accused has been shelved, it is not known what course the accused will adopt for their defence.

It is understood that Simla is being moved for advising the State Government to lift the ban on Mr. Nariman.

WIMBLEDON TENNIS

Budge Wins In Straight Sets

LONDON, June 22.

The weather at Wimbledon was overcast and warm with bright period on Wednesday, when in second round of Men's Singles, Budge beat Billington (Great Britain) (7—5), (6—1), (6—1). Lyttelton Rogers (Irish Davis Cup player) beat Pallada (Jugoslavia) (7—5), (0—6), (6—4), (6—3). Henkel (German Davis Cup player) beat Doloford, a promising Englishman (6—3), (6—1), (6—3).

WOMEN'S SINGLES

In Women's Singles third round Alice Marble (America) beat Sheilapiercey (South Africa) (6—4), (6—0).

In second round Mrs. Heinemiller (South African Champion) beat Dulce Kitson (South Africa) (6—1), (6—2).—Reuter.

RAIN MARS GAME

Rain is threatening at later stages.

MEN'S SINGLES (second round) Austin beat Darkins former "Evening News" Tournament winner 6|4, 6|4, 6|4. Mako beat Malfroy (New Zealand) 4|6, 6|3, 6|4 4|6, 6|2.

Henderson-Brooks (British Army Officer) beat Koch (Germany) 6|4 1|6, 4|6, 9|7, 6|0.

Oliff beat Abe (Japan) 6|4, 6|3 6|4.

Cejnar (Czechoslovakia) beat Coombe (New Zealand) 6|0, 6|4, 3|6, 4|6, 6|3. Ghausmohammad (India) beat Bolelli (France) 2|6 6|2, 6|3, 6|2. Ranbirsingh (India) beat Peters 6|2, 4|6, 7|5, 6|3.

WOMEN'S SINGLE: Miss Lumb beat Miss Heeley 7|5, 6|3, Mrs. Wills Moody beat Mrs. Hopman (Australia), 6|3, 6|4. Mrs. Fabyan beat Mrs. Haylock 6|2, 6|4.

Jedzrejowska beat Mrs. King 6|2, 4|6, 6|4.

The British Wightman Cup non-playing captain played a fine aggressive game.

Miss Betty Nuttall beat Mrs. Andrus (America) 2|6, 6|4, 6|2.

Miss Helen Jacobs fainted in the dressing room while getting ready for her match against Miss Joan Ingram which the English girl sportingly agreed to be postponed —Reuter.

Congressmen Attending Official Functions?

ALLAHABAD, June 22.

Cases of Congressmen attending official functions having been reported to the Congress authorities, the U. P. Provincial Congress Committee has circulated a further letter on the subject to all the Congress Committees in the Province reiterating the instructions of the Working Committee and the Parliamentary Sub-Committee regarding the observance of the rule laid down by the Congress High Command in this connection.—United Press.

"C. R." RETURNS TO MADRAS

MADRAS: June 22.

Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar, the Premier, returned to Madras today, after completing his tour in Tanjore and Arichinopoly districts.—A.P.

China Is Confident Of Ultimate Victory

THREE FACTORS WORK AGAINST JAPAN

Yangtse Floods Have Blocked Advance: India's Duty

ALLAHABAD, June 21.

Dr. Rammanohar Lohia, Secretary of the Foreign Department of the All-India Congress Committee, in the course of a statement to the "United Press." observes:—

"The floods in China have brought to the fore the question of communications and the advance of the Japanese armies. They are already proving a great obstacle to the westward advance of the Japanese forces in North China. It may be remembered that even North China is not yet completely conquered and, therefore, the North China provinces to the West of the Yellow River are now comparatively safe from Japanese attack. It is along these provinces that the road which connects Lanchow which is almost in Central China with Soviet Russia has been built. This road has in recent months been the carrier of a very busy trade. It has taken Chinese tea to Russia and brought in exchange the much-needed munitions and lorries. The floods will have made this road safer still for increase in this trade between China and Russia.

TWO FORCES SEPARATED

"Another Japanese thrust has been directed along Shanghai and Nanking into Central China. Aside from the fact that the Japanese are finding it extremely difficult to advance at any appreciable rate, the river Yangtse will almost surely interfere with their advance. It appears likely that Hankow in Central China will continue to be the strategic centre of Chinese communications. At any rate, the Japanese forces in North China and in Central China will remain separated and they will be harassed and might even be forced back.

SOUTH CHINA SAFE.

"South China is absolutely safe from Japanese attack. Canton has indeed been air-raided several times but with no military objectives. The sole object of these raids has been to inflict the cruellest suffering on the civilian population so as to frighten and demoralise them. Canton is safe both from land and from sea. The estuary between Hongkong and Canton narrows to a river and the Bocca Tigris forts protect it. Moreover, a boom has been laid from bank to bank at a narrow point in the estuary, which will prevent Japanese ships from entering Canton. An attack from land is impossible since before it may take place, the Japanese have to subjugate practically the whole of Central China.

TWO NEW ROADS.

"Two important roads are now completing which will connect South China with the outside world. The one runs from Burma and the other from French Indo-China into the province of Yunnan. These roads may eventually become of great importance to Chinese trade, of which munitions and lorries and such other war materials form a considerable part.

"China's communications or rather the lack of them is obstructing Japanese advance. The Japanese are not in a position to develop mechanised warfare; their tanks get bogged in the marshy paddy fields. As they advance, their line of communications lengthens, and they lay themselves open to guerilla attacks in the rear, aggressive assaults on the flanks and positional warfare in front.

General Chiang Kai-Shek gave recently three reasons to the correspondent of the International Peace Campaign for his confidence in Chinese victory.

"First, our currency cover is exceptionally high, whereas that of Japan is low. Second, the Chinese people have realised that since the establishment of a National Government, a sincere, and sustained effort has been made to improve the living standard, while the Japanese have not been encouraged by a similar conviction. Third, we have unlimited man-power for defending our own soil."

WHAT INDIA SHOULD DO.

"While the prospect of ultimate Chinese victory pleased us, we must remind ourselves of what we have done for China and what we must yet do.

(1) We have condemned the Japanese invasion of China and unmistakably expressed our belief in the united action of the anti-imperialist peoples. We must further train our people to shun all attacks on the freedom and peace of the world.

(2) We have resolved to boycott Japanese goods and have indeed done so to some extent. We must now carry out our resolve in full so that it may not be said that the Indian people helped the collapsing war economy of Japan. Japan's militarists must be faced with the loss of the Indian trade.

(3) Our countrymen in Malaya have heroically refused to work for the supply of war materials to Japan. We must do the same in our own country. Our workers and legislators must combine to make the shipment of scrap iron and such other war materials to Japan impossible.

(4) We have resolved to send a medical unit to China The Indian people must contribute wholeheartedly to the China Fund that our medical relief to the Chinese people may be on a large scale and continuous."—United Press.

NEW YORK GOES FIGHTMAD

Louis To Wear Gloves As Used In City

LONDON, June 22.

Louis will have to wear gloves as used in New York instead of his own (described last night) in accordance with instructions of New York State Athletic Commission.

The city is fightmad. Last night 30,000 invaded New York. Hotels and Theatres are jammed to capacity. Both boxers are confident of victory.

Neither thinks that the fight will last long, but Louis is 5 to 2 on favourite. The weather forecasts perfect night.—Reuter.

IRISH DERBY WON BY ROSEWELL

LONDON, June 22.

Irish Derby resulted as follows:

ROSEWELL	1
GOLDEN SOVEREIGN	2
MANORITE	3

Nine ran. Won by two lengths and threequarters length separated the second and the third.

Betting: 2|1 Rosewell; 2|1 Golden Sovereign and 6|1 Manorite.—Reuter.

EMPIRE BILLIARDS CHAMPIONSHIP

Moses Eliminated By Cleary

LONDON, June 22.

In the Empire Billiards Championship at Melbourne Cleary beat Moses by 1570 to 1272 points. The following are the best breaks:—

Cleary, 99, 89, 79, 77 and 142 and Moses 121, 108 and 84.—Reuter.

SMALL STATES MERGER

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tion. The Baroda Scheme is a step in the direction of fusion of small principalities, retaining their rights and privileges and conferring various benefits on the subjects of these States and estates. The whole problem ought to be considered in a dispassionate spirit in the light of above details.

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Lack Of Fairness In Political Game

INDIAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION'S PLEA FOR SAFETY OF PERSON & PROPERTY IN TRAVANCORE

The Secretary Indian Civil Liberties Union has issued the following statement:—

The Secretary of the Indian Civil Liberties Union in a letter to the Dewan of Travancore dated June 14 has urged a thorough enquiry into the unfortunate incidents that have of late marred the political life of the State and has suggested taking prompt action that the people of the State, whether they be political workers or otherwise, may feel their person and property safe from vandalism.

"The ban on meetings in different parts of the State," continues the letter, "the trial and conviction of one of the citizens for alleged sedition—a trial at which the accused was even denied the privilege, generally accorded, of being defended by an attorney of his choice,—the suppression of newspapers through a rigorous Press Act and the prohibition of outside papers from entering the State are some of the events that have legitimately caused alarm in the minds of the well-wishers of the State."

There seems to be a certain lack of fairness in the political game that is being played in Travancore State. They appear to resort to terrorist methods to cow down political workers and to cripple and crush the legitimate movement for civil liberties and responsible government. Mr. M. R. Madhava Warrier, Editor of the "Malayali" and Mr. Mathew Muthalali, Editor of the "Malabar Advocate" were the first two victims. The third was Mr. K. R. Parameswaran Nair. The fourth was the only woman member of the Working Committee of the Travancore State Congress, Miss A. Mascarene, M.A. B.L., Advocate, whose bed room was raided at night. Last week Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai, Advocate and Joint Secretary, was taken to the General Hospital, with serious injuries inflicted by unknown assailants. There is a growing feeling that these acts of violence are the work of an organised gang. It is the responsibility of the authorities to see that the State's guarantee of safety to person and property is not violated, irrespective of the political creed of the person concerned.

ANTI-HINDI PICKETING ARRESTS

MADRAS, June 22.

Swami Arunagiri Nathar was arrested last night at Nungambakkam on a charge of abetting picketing in front of the Premier's residence at Mambalam in connection with the Anti-Hindi agitation. It is alleged he was sending out volunteers for picketing.

Two others, Ramaswami Nadar of Rajapalayam and Subbiah Chetty of Salem were arrested this morning for picketing in front of the Premier's residence. Four persons previously arrested who were separately charged in connection with picketing in front of the Premier's residence appeared before the Chief Presidency Magistrate to-day. The Police Inspector in charge of the division and three constables were examined whereafter, the Magistrate adjourned the hearing till the 27th June.

The police also filed charge sheets against eight others arrested in connection with picketing activities.—A.. P.

Presidents' Conference Postponed

SIMLA, June 22.

The conference of the Presidents and Speakers of the different provincial Legislative Councils and Assemblies respectively, which was proposed by Sir Abdur Rahim, the Speaker of the Central Assembly, to be held here in the first week of July next, has been postponed.

It is understood that the conference will now be held some time in September next at Simla after the forthcoming Session of the Central Assembly is over.—United Press.

CONGRESS WINS LYALLPUR SEAT

Candidate Returned Unopposed

LYALLPUR, June 22.

According to a telegram received from Jhang in the office of the Lyallpur Congress Committee Lala Dev Raj Sethi (Congress candidate) has been returned unopposed to the Punjab Legislative Assembly from the Jhang-Lyallpur constituency.

To-day was fixed for filing nominations of candidates and Lala Dev Raj Sethi was the only candidate to file the paper.

It will be recalled that previously the nomination papers of both the candidates, namely, Lala Devraj Sethi and Malik Mathradas were rejected and new dates were fixed for the by-election.—A. P.

It is understood that the Government of Bihar are considering a proposal to abolish the Board of Revenue said to have been recommended by the Retrenchment Committee.

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CEYLON'S BID FOR OWN CURRENCY SYSTEM

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position, in which she is bound by the currency policy of India. There is an influential body of opinion in India which holds that 1s. 6d. is too high a value for the Indian rupee, and that its value should be reduced.

There is no reason to suppose that any such change is in prospect; but the fact remains that if India should devalue her rupee she would do so by reference to considerations affecting India and at a time to suit herself, and that those considerations and that time might by no means be applicable or advantageous to Ceylon. Any change in the Ceylon currency arrangements should, therefore, provide for the possibility of the Ceylon Government pursuing its own currency policy.

On the other hand, the abandonment of a direct link with the Indian rupee might cause some disturbance of the flow of trade between India and Ceylon.

THE TWO SIDES.

The advantages and disadvantages of a change of currency may be summarised as follows:—

(1) The power to determine her own currency policy;

(2) Increased revenue of about Rs. 4,00,000 per annum;

(3) Possible interference with the flow of trade.

To this some persons might add a possible stability of exchange value if a separate Ceylon rupee is created, but this fear may shortly be dismissed.

Countries much smaller and much less financially sound than Ceylon have set up their own currencies and have held them for years in complete stability at the predetermined exchange value without the slightest difficulty. So long as the Ceylon Currency Balance Sheet is sound, the Currency Authority will always be able to meet its obligations, and the exchange value of the currency must remain stable; while behind the currency reserves there stands the guarantee of the Ceylon Government.

LONDON EXPERT'S ADVICE.

The whole question of a change in the currency system was submitted in 1937 to an Expert Committee in London, which unanimously tendered the following advice:—

(i) Ceylon should create a separate currency of her own, on the basis of the Ceylon rupee;

(ii) The Ceylon rupee should be linked with the Indian legal tender rupee;

(iii) There should be an optional link with the sterling; and

(iv) In the unlikely event of devaluation of the Indian rupee, Ceylon should then decide whether to allow the Ceylon rupee to follow the Indian rupee or not. If not, the right to receive Ceylon rupees in exchange for the Indian rupees should be withdrawn and the optional sterling link should become operative. But this means the value of the Ceylon rupee could be maintained intact if the Ceylon Government considered that course desirable.

PARITY WITH INDIAN RUPEE.

The right to receive Indian rupees in exchange for Ceylon rupees should be unqualified, in order that the Ceylon rupee may never be allowed to fall below the Indian rupee value.

It should be emphasised that neither the Expert Committee nor the Ceylon Government has any reason to suppose that devaluation of the Indian rupee is in the least degree probable; it is merely a possibility, which no country using the Indian currency can afford entirely to ignore.

The Board of Ministers of Ceylon, on the advice of the Financial Secretary, it is stated, is inclined to favour the adoption of the scheme put forward by the experts, but before any steps are taken to bring forward the necessary legislation, the Board has, it is learnt, invited commercial and other interests to express their opinions on this all-important question.—United Press.

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faction of seeing their newcomers to Test cricket doing exceedingly well, particularly Hutton, Compton and Wright, Bradman had the misfortune of counting failures among the young hopes of his side, especially Hassett, Badcock and McCormick. It is likely that these players have regained their confidence as evidenced in their subsequent appearances and Bradman may give them another chance to fulfil their early promises.

A good deal will depend upon the toss. Should Bradman win it this time, Hammond will not have an easy job to get the better of the visitors. On the other hand, the Australians will be in a more comfortable situation in the fourth innings with O'Reilly and Fleetwood-Smith calling the tune with the leather.

The time-factor is however a very serious obstacle in the way of arriving at a decisive result. Much will depend on the way the "Aussies" begin their journey to the promised land.

OUR READERS' VIEWS

J. D. Jenkins' Reply To Sardar Vallabhbhai

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I have just returned here after an absence of nearly two months, and have just seen the very interesting and amusing things which have appeared in your paper about me, and the League. I shall deal with the so-called "Circular Letter" on another occasion, as it is now in the hands of my lawyers. The signature attached to the letter reproduced in the "Hindustan Standard" bears no resemblance at all to mine.

To-day I just want to refer to the amazing statement which our good friend Sardar V. J. Patel sent to the Press on the 9th of June.

In that statement Sardar Patel said that two of my friends whose names appear in the Circular letter:—"have not heard of the League." That these words are not true, will be seen from the fact that these two gentlemen are among my warmest supporters, and were among the first to send a donation to the League.

In sending his donation, one of these friends, after reading one of the League's booklets, wrote to me:—"I think it is good that the facts should be placed before the public."

The other friend wrote:—"If ever efforts were required to counter-act the growing discontent in India, and against Communism, it is this time, and I am sure your League will spare no efforts to make ineffective the forces of sedition and revolution."

I hasten to add that these gentlemen have not taken any part whatsoever in the activities of the League, beyond sending a donation. Indeed, some of the friends whose names appeared in the "Circular letter" have sent 'not only one donation but two,' (and I may add, it was much more than 25 Rupees)-presumably in appreciation of my work.

How, therefore, came the Sardar to write that "these gentlemen have never heard of the League", passes my understanding altogether.—Yours etc.,

J. D. JENKINS.

The League Flag

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—Through the esteemed columns of your "Chronicle" of 18th June I saw a challenge to Mr. Jinnah and his colleagues to prove that the Muslim League Flag is the very flag that was once used by the holy Prophet, his Caliphs and descendants.

The object of Mr. Jinnah by those words was to say that the Muslim League flag stood for Unity, Brotherhood and sympathy—the chief features and factors of Islam. What had the holy Prophet taught?—Unity and Brotherhood. Nowadays when Indian Muslims are divided into innumerable political parties, there was a need of a highly centralized party which might protect Muslim rights and privileges and should not allow them to be devoured by other powerful opposite parties which are highly organised and openly hostile to the Muslims' cause. If Mr Jinnah claims his flag to be the same as hoisted by the holy Prophet, he surely means that just as under the Prophet's banner perfect peace, brotherhood and love were given, similarly under the auspicious flag of the League the rights of every Muslim are sure to be guaranteed. The League's flag is a signal or a light-house for the dis-united and leaderless Muslims to know that it is the only flag or society or organisation which is always ready to serve them, to listen to their demands, to rectify the wrongs done to them and emancipate their political freedom.

In the end, I would ask the challenger to think twice before challenging others. It is of no use to criticize, unmindful of the grounds, reasons and cause. Private and personal views should not be given importance to challenging a person's act, who is rendering invaluable services to the cause of the Indian Muslims. A man ought to be judged not by what he says but by what he does. It has often been found necessary to extol certain points for attracting large number of followers for a certain cause. The war time can give many examples of this sort. In criticism, a full play to liberal feelings be given and narrow-mindedness or bigotry be not allowed to accuse the opponent.—Yours, etc.,

K. A. HUSSENI.

Bhopal, June 20

NEW CABINET FOR BENGAL

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as he was not satisfied with the point urged by Mr. Nausher Ali.

FOR PROJA PARTY LEADERS

It is gathered that definite overtures are being made, on behalf of the Premier, Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq, for the inclusion in the Cabinet of Maulvi Shamsuddin Ahmed and Maulvi Tamiz-ud-Din Ahmed. Leaders of the two Proja Party Groups which had seceded from the Coalition (Ministerial) Party during the last Budget Session of the Assembly, as a protest against the non-fulfilment by the Ministry of some of the important items of the Election Pledges calculated to secure relief to the agriculturist population.

The formal announcement of the solution of the Ministerial 'impasse' is expected to be announced to-morrow.—United Press.

PERSONNEL OF NEW CABINET

CALCUTTA: June 23.

The new Ministry formed by Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq early this morning consists of the following ten members:—

(1) Mr. A. K. Fazlul Huq (Chief Minister); (2) Sir Nazimuddin, Home Minister, (3) Mr. N. R. Sarkar, Finance Minister, (4) Sir B. P. Singh-Roy, Revenue Minister, (5) Nawab Bahadur of Dacca, Agriculture and Industries Minister, (6) Nawab Musharraff Hossain, Judicial Minister, (7) Maharaja Sris Chandra Nandy of Cossimbazar, Works and Communications Minister, (8) Mr. M. B. Mallik, Co-operative Credit Minister, (9) Mr. P. D. Raikut, Excise and Forest Minister and (10) Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Minister for Commerce and Labour.

The only member of the last Cabinet who has not been included in Mr. Huq's new Cabinet, is Mr. Syed Nausher Ali, in whom the Chief Minister had 'no confidence,' as he had already intimated to His Excellency the Governor during the Cabinet meeting yesterday morning.—A.P.

Mr. W. T. Byrant, I.C.S., till recently Sub-Collector of Coonoor, took over charge of office of the Private Secretary to the Governor of Madras, on Monday from Mr. D. H. Elwin, who is leaving for Mysore on June 23 to take up his new appointment.

BUDDHIST TEMPLE RIFLED

RANGOON: June 22.

The report of a sensational theft in a pagoda situated on the Mandalay Hill in Mandalay, has shocked and surprised the Buddhist public.

Early this morning, it was discovered that the relic chamber on the Mandalay Hill had been rifled and several golden images and a large amount of gold, silver pinnacle miniature pagoda with golden rings and diamonds, were all missing.

It is further reported that the thieves entered the place last night and removed these precious articles and properties, which are calculated to be worth about Rs. 25,000. Fortunately, the iron boxes containing other silver and golden foliages, seven diamond studs and the famous tooth relic of the Buddha found in Peshawar, were found to be intact and safe as the thieves are reported to have failed in their attempts to break open these iron boxes.

This tooth relic of the Buddha was discovered in Peshawar during Lord Irwin's Viceroyalty and was presented by His Lordship to Burma. The relic was kept on the Mandalay Hill since Lord Irwin's time.

U. Khanti, the hermit of the Mandalay Hill, is on tour and it is reported that the thieves availed themselves of his absence to conduct their criminal activities.

The local police are conducting a vigorous investigation into the matter.—United Press.

T. A. Rules To Be Revised

SIMLA, June 22.

It is understood that the Government of India are considering the question whether the T. A. rules applicable to officers of the Central Government should be revised on the lines of the revisions introduced by certain provincial Governments.

It will be recalled that in reply to a question in the Legislative Assembly on the 6th October, 1937, the Hon'ble the Finance Member gave an undertaking to consider whether the new rates of travelling allowance, which the Government of the United Provinces were then introducing, could be appropriately adopted also by the Central Government.—A.P.

World Of Sport—Home And Abroad

Prospects Of The Second Test Match At Lord's

(BY LOOKER-ON.)

The second Test match between England and Australia will commence at the Lord's to-morrow (Friday). It was as far back as 1884 that the first Test match was staged on this ground, and 15 matches have been played so far, of which five each have been won by England and Australia and five left unfinished. The result of the last match in 1934 went in favour of England. A heavy downpour when the Australians were batting helped the home team to rout the tourists by the big margin of an innings and 38 runs. This was by the way, their only victory against the Australians in the 1934 series.

VERITY'S BOWLING FEAT.

Batting first England compiled 440 runs. Australia might have easily surpassed this total. But heavy rains during the week-end gave them an awfully sticky wicket to do the scoring. Hedly Verity found himself in devastating form. He slaughtered as many as 15 batsmen—14 in one day—at the paltry cost of 104 runs in all. It is a rare feat. The only other bowler who has attained this distinction is Wilfrid Rhodes who in the 1903-4 series captured the same number of wickets at Melbourne at the expense of 124 runs. All that Australia could muster in this match was 284 in the first innings and 118 in the second. Would England have similar luck this year and would Verity succeed in repeating his 1934 performance?

ENGLAND'S TEAM.

England has nominated the same players who rendered such magnificent service for them in the first Test match at Nottingham, namely, Hammond (Captain), Farnes, Verity, Hutton, Barnett, Paynter, Compton, Ames, Wright, Edrich and Sinfield. In addition they have requisitioned the service of Hardstaff and Wellard. The Notts player became "hors de combat" after his selection and was therefore unable to play. He may now replace Edrich who was unable to justify his inclusion in the first instance. Wellard, it will be remembered, had also accompanied Lord Tennyson's team last winter along with Edrich and Hardstaff. It is however doubtful if the Somerset all-rounder will be called upon to replace Senfield at this stage.

A LESSON FOR OUR SELECTORS.

May I draw the pointed attention of our cricket-gods that Hammond has been asked again to lead England but for the second Test only? They have not appointed him for all the Tests at once, as our selectors did in the case of V. M. Merchant when Lord Tennyson's team visited this country. This gives easy liberty to the selectors to change their Captain in case they consider it necessary. Hammond has proved an excellent skipper, though some disapproval has been expressed in certain quarters as regards his tactics, especially in not taking the new ball soon after Australia scored 200 in the first innings. But it is worth noting that he did not succeed with his bat. If he fails again, the selectors will have to seriously consider the question of relieving him of the burden of the Captaincy and keep him free for his batting feats.

RIVAL CHANCES.

Now England will enter the battle with renewed confidence. They have seen that Australian bowling is not so terrible as it was made out to be. Nor is their batting so formidable as their achievements against the County teams disclosed. They have their lapses too in the field as any other team.

The Australians on the other hand have realised that the home team is not a negligible quantity and cannot be trifled with. They will have to pull out their best in every department of the game, if they were to entertain any hope of conquering England.

Whereas England had the satis-

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Japanese Propaganda Runs Amuck

Chinese Girls Forced To Write Letters Praising Tokio Regime

(From No-Frontier News Service.)

A source close to China, which is in constant touch with Chinese affairs, has made excerpts from recent correspondence, which show various phases of the Far Eastern War. Japanese propaganda methods are interestingly revealed by a teacher who writes:—

A Japanese inspector came to a girls' school and spoke at the Assembly through an interpreter. He was a serious-minded young man and believed the things he said, such as: The Japanese are the friends of the Chinese people: they are fighting the Nanking Government and the Communists: they have no territorial ambitions; and so on.

He ended by saying that students in the Eastern part of the Province had written to the Emperor of Japan thanking him for the benefits conferred on them by the Japanese soldiers, and that it would be nice, if our girls did the same thing.

I looked around the room where sat the girl whose brother, a fine young man, was bayonetted by Japanese soldiers, because he had forgotten to destroy a pass that had been given to him by a Chinese officer some time ago. I saw the girls, whose classmate, together with her parents, was killed when three bombs landed on the cave in which they were hiding. I knew that at least half of the girls came from homes where they were compelled to run and hide for fear of the approaching Japanese.

Several had narrowly escaped being carried off by soldiers and knew of girls, who had not escaped as they had. The homes of many had been looted and many have relatives who have lost their jobs because of the disturbed conditions. A bitter thing it is to be a conquered people.

But the girls wrote their letters to the Emperor of Japan. They did not dare refuse.

Subhas Welcomes Settlement Of Dispute Over Dry Fruit Trade With Afghanistan

CALCUTTA, June 22.

Mr. Subhas Chandra Bose, the Congress President, has issued the following statement in regard to the settlement of the dispute between the Indian traders in Afghanistan and the Government of that country on the question of trade in dry fruits:

"It is a matter of extreme gratification that the conflict between Afghanistan and India over the dry fruit trade has been settled to the entire satisfaction of the Indian traders.

"This victory follows close upon the heels of the success of the Indians in Zanzibar.

"It will be remembered that some time ago the Afghan Government had set up a company to take charge of the export trade in dry fruits and this company had its agents in Afghanistan and in India.

CONGRESS SUPPORT

"The effect of this measure was to throw out of employment all the Indian traders in Afghanistan and in India who, for ages, had subsisted on the dry fruit trade between the two countries. The Indian traders who were badly hit by the monopolistic move of the Afghan Government, resorted to boycott and they appealed to the Indian National Congress for support. The Congress Working Committee gave them their full support.

"And not long after this, an invitation was received from Afghanistan, inviting the Indian traders to a Conference there. When the deputation on behalf of the Indian traders was about to leave, news was received over the wire that the Afghan Government had cancelled the monopoly and restored 'status quo.'

"Thus, the Indian traders have come out of the struggle completely successful without having to travel to Kabul even.

"Those who lent their support to the Indian demand deserve to be congratulated.

INFLUENCE SPREADING

"It is now clear that India is slowly but surely making her influence felt in foreign countries, and the more we develop unity and strength within, the more we shall become a Power abroad."

It will be recalled here that, while the Indian traders' delegation was about to leave for Kabul, a telegram was sent yesterday to them by Captain Dring, Secretary to the Governor of the North-West Frontier Province, informing them that, since the monopoly in dry fruit trade given recently to the Shirket by the Afghan Government had been withdrawn and restriction on foreign merchants, including the Indian traders, was no more in force, there was no necessity for the delegation to proceed to Afghanistan.

Following this telegraphic intimation, the delegation decided not to proceed further.—United Press.

INDIAN LEADERS IN LONDON

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movement was heard with intense interest. While affirming that the future lies with the socialists in India, he has always emphasised the almost irresistible power that the Congress has developed in the country. His references to Gandhiji came as a surprise to many. The impression has been gaining ground among less informed people that Gandhiji has become a spent force and that his voice no longer counts for much in our national life. Meherally gives the lie to this belief by pointing out that, in his opinion and many of those who like him are in a position to speak from long and personal experience in Indian politics, there has never been a time when the Mahatma's prestige, authority and power were as great as they are to-day.

Bose-Jinnah Conversations

The Bose-Jinnah conversations which have come to such an unhappy end have been followed with anxious interest in Indian circles here. During the last few weeks I have constantly met with request for information about the negotiations and the hope has been expressed that Mr. Jinnah would at long last see the anti-National character of the policy that he has recently adopted. The breakdown of the negotiations and particularly the news that Mr. Jinnah demands that no political organisation in India, except the Muslim League, should appeal to the views and interest of the Muslim community has come, if not altogether as a

even by the Muslims I meet, here as a preposterous demand. They say that it is Jinnah's business to earn the right to speak for the Muslims by espousing the cause of the vast majority of the members of that community whose

DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST CHETTY?

MADRAS, June 21.

At its meeting held to-night, with Mr. Muthuranga Mudaliar, the President, in the chair, the Tamil Nadu Provincial Congress Working Committee decided to take disciplinary action against Sami Venkatachalam Chettiar, M.L.A. (Central), and member of the Corporation of Madras, who had moved an amendment to the resolution proposed by Mr. S. Satyamurti, Deputy Leader of the Opposition in the Central Assembly, and Leader of the Congress Party in the Madras Corporation, this disobeying party discipline some time back.

The Working Committee also asked Mr. Chettiar to show cause why he should not be asked to resign from the Central Assembly, he having been elected to the Assembly on the Congress ticket.

The Committee further resolved to forward Mr. Chettiar's reply to Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, Chairman of the Congress Parliamentary Sub-Committee.

It also decided to urge the All-India Congress members of the Legislatures and the local bodies who have been elected on the Congress ticket, to refrain from being members of any other party.—United Press.

Budding Parsi Orators Exhibit Their Talent

Questions Of Educated Unemployed And Charities Discussed

To test the oratorical powers of the members of the University Students Parsi Union, a meeting was held at the Masters Tutorial High School, last Sunday, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Ardeshir Edalji Bengali.

Mr. M. R. Wadia was the first to speak on the problem of the "Educated Unemployed" and his 'extempore' speech was by far the best.

He made scathing criticisms against the present system of education which was over-burdened with useless subjects and never made a man a practical student in life.

The examinations were a mere matter of chance and luck, and too much premium was set on it by those who wished to see India and the Indians always backward in the scale of civilization.

"It is really very sad," he maintained, "that people in India who call themselves educated cannot have the bare necessities of life and they have to starve their bodies to feast their minds. Education becomes a problem when there is something lacking in its impartation or execution and those who say that they do not view education from a monetary point of view, are speaking a thing far from truth. Education is taken only with a view to better a man's prospects in life—it should promise him a liberal existence and a satisfied outlook on life full of hopes and opportunities."

"Art Of Crime"

Mr. Jal H. Vakil then spoke on "the Art of Crime." He defined crime as an attempt to injure or wound the feelings of Society at large and commit an offence which would be against the legal rights and privileges of an individual, a community or a nation.

The committal of an offence against an individual amounted to a Tort, against a community amounted to the danger of getting oneself ex-communicated and if against a nation or country amounted to being called "a Traitor' an 'out-law' or a Public Enemy No. 1. Crime became an Art if an individual knew the knack of keeping himself free from the clutches of the legal punishments and also free from the uneasy experience of long and protracted trials in the Law Courts. Art was a sure sign of efficiency and perfection in a given thing.

Mr. M. J. Divwalla spoke freely on the subject of 'Education for women should entirely be different from that given to men.' He criticised the present system of education given in our Universities as entirely on a wrong model.

In the present system no differentiation was made between a man and woman and both were asked to study the same courses of education. The feminine touch went away from modern women and in an attempt to equalise men in all respects they fell off in the standard of being the mightiest force.

Parsi Charities

Mr. Dadiba Bamji B.Sc. then spoke at some length on "How Parsi Charities could be organised to meet the needs of the times."

He suggested an advice to the trustees of different Trust Funds to work on the models of N. N. Wadia and N. M. Wadia charities. The doles must be given in kind and not in money as was done in all the civilized countries of the world, and if money was necessarily to be paid it should be given direct to the creditor. It was twice blessed to be born a Parsi as one could easily find all the opportunities to exist on other people's money but his own.

Mr. Jal E. Hirjibehedin then discussed the subject as to "Whether the Parsis were going backwards or not." He emphatically denied that the Parsis were going backward in any sphere of life. "Progress" he maintained "was in the very blood of the Parsis."

The meeting was adjourned to Sunday next with a vote of thanks to the Chair, as many members wanted to discuss the issues raised by these five speakers.

The Chairman Mr. Bengali, paid compliments to the speakers, and expressed his opinion that he was thoroughly convinced that the community could still hold its own with the help of such five promising young men as they had the pleasure to witness that day.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF NAGPUR MUNICIPALITY

(From Our Correspondent).

NAGPUR, (By Mail).

On an objection being taken by one of the members, to the use of Marathi language at the meeting, Mr. G. D. Dhavale, President, Municipal Committee, Nagpur, at its last meeting, gave a ruling that this being a Marathi province, the official language of the Municipality would be Marathi. Mr. Abbasali, the member, contended that the President should use Hindusthani as the language, whereupon Mr. Dhavale said that he was not bound to speak in Hindi. Even according to the great Institution, the Indian National Congress this was a Marathi speaking province and hence the official language of the committee will be Marathi. He would however express himself in Hindi whenever necessary and possible.

Mr. Kamal said that Hindi, according to the Congress was the 'lingua franca' of India. He also referred to the fact that in Madras, the Congress Ministry was propaganding the use of Hindi.

Mr. Dhavale said that Hindi was the 'lingua franca' for inter-provincial communications. For purposes the Congress had permitted the use of the provincial languages. He appealed to those who did not know Marathi to try to learn the language of the province. It was never too late to learn, he concluded.

It is proposed to hold a Nationalist Muslims' Conference, Maulana Chiraguddin, Vice-President, C. P. Mahakoshal Congress Committee and Mr. Abdul Gaffar, a prominent Congressman of Saugor has supported the idea. In all probability the Conference will be held at Wardha and Maulana Azad will be requested to preside. The dates will be the same as those of the Working Committee of the All-India Congress Committee.

ANTI-T. B. FUND.

About Rs. forty-five thousand have been collected from the Central Provinces and Berar in response to Her Excellency the Marchioness of Linlithgow's appeal for the King Emperor's Anti-Tuberculosis Fund.

VIDYA MANDIRS.

119 offers of land have been received for Vidya Mandirs and they are being examined by the Deputy Commissioners. The Government will issue a monthly magazine, Vidya Mandir Samachar to keep the public informed about the progress of the scheme. 160 sti-

Assam Ministry Tangle

Attempt To Prevent Advent Of Congress Coalition

To baffle the Congress attempt to form a coalition Ministry in Assam and also to be doubly sure about the stability of the Cabinet, at least two more Ministers, one a Muhammadan and the other a tribal, will, it is definitely learnt, be taken before the ensuing session of the Assam Assembly, which is likely to meet by the end of August, writes a Shillong correspondent of the "A. B. Patrika".

His Excellency the Governor of Assam, Sir Robert Neil Reid, who was so long vehemently opposed to the idea of increasing the number of Ministers, has, it is reported, been persuaded to do so.

It has been urged that if facilities be given to Congress if it comes to the forefront to form the Cabinet with any number of Ministers in order to satisfy the various groups, then why the same could not be shown to Sir Muhammad Saadulla? His Excellency, it is reported, asked Sir Muhammad to submit the names of the probables before he leaves for Bengal to take over the gubernatorial charge there so that his suciessor might not be left in an embarrassed position.

It is freely mentioned in political circles that Khan Sahib Maulavi Modabbir Hossain Choudhury of Surma Valley and Mr. Rupnath Brahma (tribal) will be taken in. It is also not unlikely as the rumour goes that Rai Bahadur P. C. Dutta, C.I.E., may find a place in the Cabinet if his party support him.

INSTRUCTIONS IN "AIMING AND SHOOTING"

NAGPUR, June 21.

The Provincial Government, it is understood, has permitted the Craddock High School at Wardha to impart instructions in aiming and shooting. This is the first time in the history of the Province when such permission has been granted.—United Press.

Wardha. The course will be over by October and by that time the Government proposes to start two

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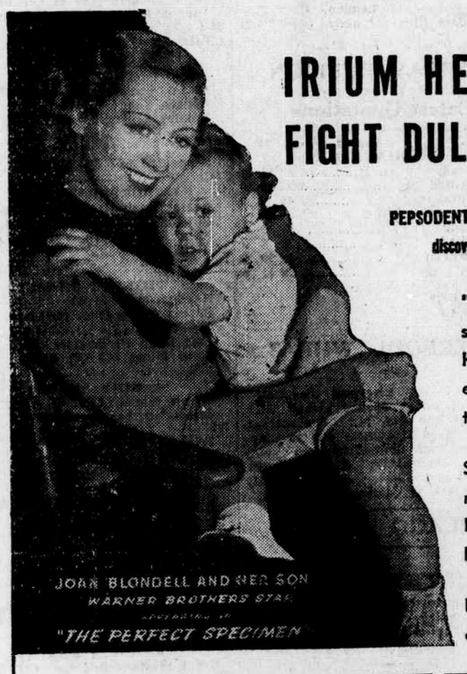

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LATEST

Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON THREE POINTS DOWN

Small Profit-Taking And Liquidation

SILVER STAGNANT: GOLD QUIET

BOMBAY, June 22.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Somewhat depressed feeling was noticed to-day in the New York Cotton. The Bullish activity was checked owing to favourable weather news and less favourable Liverpool cables.

BOMBAY BULLION.

Silver prices were very narrow with hardly any incentive to buy. Buyers as well as sellers showed little disposition to enter the market. London cables were also colourless with the consequent stagnancy.

Gold market was devoid of any interest in view of the fact that devaluation rumours are fast fading out, and prices receded under scattered offerings. With sellers less active quieter tone prevailed.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

JULY 1938.

New York, June 22.

Previous closing	8.61
To-day's opening	8.56
Difference	—.05
To-day's closing	8.58
Difference	—.03

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 22.

Previous closing	4.65
To-day's opening	4.61
Difference	—.04
To-day's closing	4.62
Difference	—.03

BROACH EXPECTATION

July August	Rs. 150-8
April May 1939	Rs. 170-12

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, June 22.

New York cotton was somewhat depressed to-day with favouarble weather news and the less favourable Liverpool cables checking bullish activity with the result that prices moved slightly lower.

The trading in July began at 8.56 i.e. five points lower than previous closing. Prices declined on lower Liverpool cables and July liquidation with some profit-taking under which the price gradually receded to 8.54 with movements thereafter rather uncertain.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 22.

The following were the opening ranges:—

July (8.58/8.59) 8.57/8.56
October (8.62/8.62) 8.60/8.59
December (8.68/8.67) 8.64/8.63

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 22.

American July (4.65) 4.65
American October (4.78) 4.78
Egyptian July (6.61) 6.67
Egyptian November (6.73) 6.73

BOMBAY COTTON

Late Trading

Bombay, June 22.

The trading in Broach July/Aug. commenced at Rs. 150. The price improved to Rs. 150-8 but subsequently fell down to Rs. 149-8. New York July opened five points down, and later price declined to 8.51. Broach finally closed at Rs. 150.

COMMODITIES

LONDON MARKETS

Bombay, June 22.

TEA

Indian Pekoe (0-11 3/4) 0-11 3/4
Indian Pekoe higher (1-10) 1-10
Ceylon Pekoe (1-0 3/4) 1-0 1/2
Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-4) 1-3 1/2

JUTE

First marks C.I.F. Continent New Crop June July (£16 7/8 paid and sellers) £16 3/4 paid and value.
Dunlop June (£19) £19
Lightning June (£17 3/4) £17 3/4

RUBBER

Spot (6 1/4 buyers) 6 1/4 buyers
Forward October December (6 7/16 paid and value) 6 7/16 paid and value

LINSEED

Castorseed Bombay June July (£11 1/4 sellers) £11 1/4 sellers
Linseed Calcutta June (£12 3/8 sellers) £12 9/16 sellers.
Linseed La Plata June (£11 7/16 sellers) £11 7/16 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal July (£10 3/8 sellers) £10 7/16 sellers

METALS

Tin (£184 buyers £184 1/4 sellers. Firm.) £187 1/4 buyers £18 3/4 sellers. Firm.
Lead (£14 3/8 buyers £14 7/16 sellers. Firm) £14 13/16 buyers £14 15/16 sellers. Firm.
Electrolytic Copper (£40 to £41) £40 3/4 to £41
Iron (112) 112

LIVERPOOL • WHEAT

Closing Quotation

Liverpool, June 22.

Liverpool wheat market closed to-day at July 77 3/4

EXCHANGES

CROSS RATES

T. T. New York On London

New York, June 22.

Previous closing	4.95 3/8
To-day's opening	4.95 5/8
At the time of New York cotton closing	4.95 9/16

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, June 22.

Previous closing	4.95.43
To-day's opening	4.95.37
To-day's closing	4.95.50

FRANC RATE

London, June 22.

Previous closing	177.93
To-day's opening	177.87
To-day's closing	177.93

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, June 22.

London Exchanges opened with sterling dollar at 4.95.37 and then eased to 4.95.25 on lack of support but subsequently improved to 4.95.65 on better enquiry.

Franc opened at 177.87 and then weakened to 177.90 on some pressure, movements thereafter being small.

CROSS RATES

London on Bombay (1/5 25/32) 1/5 25/32
Paris on Bombay (13.177) 13.182
New York on Bombay (36.78) 36.73
Berlin on Bombay (0.91 1/8) 0.91 1/8
London on Milan (94.33) 94.18
London on Shanghai (0.9 nominal) 0.8 3/4 nominal.
London on Kobe (1-2) 1-2

BULLION

Influx (nil) £1154
Withdrawal (nil) nil
Gold (£7-0-9 1/2) £7-0-10
Silver (18 15/16d.) 18 15/16d.

DISCOUNTS

3 months (9/16 to 5/8 per cent) 9/16 to 5/8 per cent
4 months (9/16 to 5/8 per cent) 9/16 to 5/8 per cent
6 months (5/8 to 5/8 per cent) 5/8 to 5/8 per cent

LONDON SILVER CABLE

Bombay, June 22.

The following cable regarding silver market was received in Bombay to-night "Speculators bought and sold. Small offerings. Market steady."

LONDON SILVER

London, June 22.

Spot	(18 15/16d) 18 15/16d.
Forward	(18 5/8d.) 18 11/16d.

LONDON GOLD

London, June 22.

Gold Bars Fine per ounce (£7-0-9 1/2) £7-0-10

BOMBAY BULLION

Latest Quotations

Bombay, June 22.

SILVER

Silver ready	49 14 0
Silver Ashad	49 11 0
Silver Shravan	49 9 0

GOLD

Gold ready	35 8 0
Gold Ashad	35 9 0
Gold Shravan	35 10 0
Sovereign	22 11 0

WHEAT

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, June 22.

Liverpool wheat opened steady with July 77 7/8 and Oct. 71. The market early displayed steadiness due to apprehension over Cannadian crop outlook, but subsequently demand slowed down and prices gave way, slightly owing to lack of demand for actuals.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, June 22.

Chicago wheat opened steady with July at 0.77 1/8. Prices advanced moderately on scattered buying but the general enquiry was slow in the absence of any stimulating cables from outside.

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotation

Bombay, June 22.

Wheat September	4	2	6
Wheat January	4	5	6
Linseed September	7	4	0

3½% GOVT. PAPER

Closing Quotations

Bombay, June 22.

The 3 1/2 per cent Government paper closed finally at Rs. 98-4 at 5 p.m.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

Bombay, June 22.

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £92 3/4.

Closing quotations on the previous days were:—

Monday June 13	£92 3/4
Tuesday June 14	£32 1/2
Wednesday June 15	£92 1/2
Thursday June 16	£92 1/2
Friday June 17	£92 1/2
Monday June 20	£92 3/4
Tuesday June 21	£92 3/4

INDIAN LOANS

London, June 22. 3-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian (£100 1/2) £100 3/8
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (£93 3/4) £92 3/4
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950-55 (£112 1/2) £112 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Indian 1958-68 (£115 3/4) £115 3/4
4 per cent Indian 1949-69 (£107 3/4) £107 3/8
5 per cent Indian 1942-47 (£110) £110
3 1/2 per cent New Indian 1945-59 (£103 1/2) £103 1/4

AUSTRALIAN LOANS

5 per cent Australian Loan 1945-75 (£105 1/8) £105 1/8

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£74 1/4) £74 1/4
3 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£102 1/4) £102 1/4
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£104 5/8) £104 5/8
5 per cent Funding Loan (£113) £113 1/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£101 3/4) £101 3/4
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£111 5/8) £111 3/4

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, June 22.

London Stock Exchange was fairly active on scattered support.

Giltedged securities continued quietly steady. Three and half per cent quoted at £92 3/4 i.e. unchanged from last closing.

INDUSTRIALS

Standard Motors (12-3) 12-3
Marks and Spencer Ordinary (55-4 1/2) 55-4 1/2
Hydro Electric (dol 3 7/8) dol 3 7/8
Elec Music Industry (10-6) 10-6
Princhin Johnson (28-3) 28-3
Imperial Chemical (31-6) 31-1 1/2
Woolsworth New Ordinary (62-4 1/2) 62-4 1/2
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates 1930 (£29) £29
Dunlop Rubber (29-1 1/2) 29-1 1/2
Unilever Ordinary (38) 38
Ford Motors (17-9) 17-9
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary (£45 3/4) £46 1/2
British American Tobacco Ordinary (99-4 1/2) 99-4 1/2
Carreas A (£7) £7
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (135-7 1/2) 135-7 1/2
P and O S N Company Deferred (20-9) 20-9
Distillers (99-3) 99-3
Bredfords Dye. (3-6) 3-6
British Celanese (2-9) 2-9
J and P Coates Ordinary (36-4 1/2) 36-10 1/2
Courtaulds Ordinary (36-4 1/2) 36-10 1/2
Fine Cotton Spinners (4-0) 4-0
Vickers Limited Ordinary (21-9) 22-1 1/2
Inter Nickels (dol 44 7/8) dol 45 5/8
Indian Iron and Steel Ordinary (35) 34-4 1/2
Tata Steel Debenture (£104) £104

TEA SHARES

Assam Company (17-1 1/2) 17-1 1/2
Donaro Tea (36-3) 36-3
Empire of India (26-3) 26-3

JUTE SHARES

Barnagore (£7 3/4) £7 3/4

RUBBER SHARES

Anglo Dutch Rubber (25-9) 25-9
Gule Kelampong (20-7 1/2) 20
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (26-4 1/2) 26-4 1/2

MINING SHARES

Nandydrug (38-9) 40
Burma Corporation (8-6) 8-6
Rio Tintos (£14 5/8) £14 1/8
East Rand Proprietors (58-9) 58-9
Rand Mines (£8 3/4) £8 5/8

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£15 3/4) £15 3/4
Associated Leaseholds (80-7 1/2) 80-7 1/2
Trinidad Leasehold (95) 96-3
Sub Nigel (£10 3/8) £10 3/8
Spring Mines Split Shares (28-1 1/2) 26-3
Union Corporation (£8 3/4) £8 5/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (25) 25
Anglo Iranian (85) 86-3
Burma Oil (80) 80
Mexican Eagle (4-9) 4-9
Shell Transport (86-10 1/2) 86-10 1/2
Royal Dutch (£37 5/8) £37 1/4

RAILWAY SHARES

Great Western Ordinary (£47 3/8) £47 3/8
London Midland and Scott Ordinary (£16 1/2) £17
London North Eastern Def (£2 7/8) £2 7/8
Southern Def (£17 1/4) £17 1/4
London Transport 5 per cent (£125 1/2) £125 1/2
London Transport 'C' Stock (£73) £73 1/2

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Industrials Again To The Forefront

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LONDON, June 22.

Business on the Stock Exchange was steadily held but was quieter. Industrials were again to the forefront. Giltedged securities were quiet. The new Defence Bonds featured with the premium in the region of £1 European Bonds were firmer on prospects of international appeasement.

The commodities section was considerably quieter all round but the undertone was unimpaired.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, June 22.

U S Steel Common New Stock (dol 45 1/4) dol 45 3/4
General Motors (dol 31 3/8) dol 32 5/8
General Motors (dol 31 3/8) dol 32 5/8
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 26 3/8) dol 26 3/8
U S Steel Preference (dol 99 7/8) dol 100 1/4

CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE

Jutes Firm: Speculative Issues Steady

CALCUTTA, June 22.

In the share market Jutes ruled firm and fair business took place. Coals were also in fair request and good business resulted, amongst more popular issues at gradually advancing rates. Teas were more or less neglected. In the miscelaneous section Indian Iron and Steel and other speculative issues continued to rule steady.

Following were the closing quotations:—

Government Securities:—Two and three-quarter per cent. Loan 1948/52 100/7 small lot, three per cent. Loan 1941 102/13, three and half per cent. Paper 98/5, four per cent. Loan 1960/70 113/4, four and half per cent. Loan 1955/56 119/14 small lot.

Banks:—Imperial Conty. 388 small odd lot, Reserve 113.

Coals:—Amalgamated 23/8, Bengal 310 small lot, Churulia 1/7, Dhemomain 11/10, Ghusick 2/6, Equitable 3/4, Parasea 1/1, Raneegunge 28/14 ex div., Sendra 9/10, South Karanpura 4/6, Union 24/4, West Jamuria 26/4.

Jutes:—Auckland 147, Bally 141 small lot, Cheviot 140, Barnagore 119 small lot, Fort William 177, Gourepore 449/8, Hukumchand Ord. 6/5, Kanknarrah 296 small lot, Howrah 38/14, Kamarhatty 377, Megnan 20/12, National 17/8, Presidency 3/6, Reliance 51 small lot, Standard 230.

Miscellaneous:—Burma Corporation 5/12, Consolidated Tin 5, Indian Copper 2/4, Rhodesia 1/11, Tavoy Tin 1/14, Dalmia Cement Ord. 9/6, Dalmia Cement Defd. 3/3, Alkali and Chemical Pref. 105/8, Patna Electric 15/1, Burn and Co. Ord. 201/8, Hukumchand Electric and Steel Ord. 7/6, Indian Standard Wagon Ord. 38/8, National Iron and Steel 3/7, Marshall and Co. 1/7, Steel Corporation Ord. 5 small odd lot, Steel Corporation Pref. 77/4, Barareee Coke 15/8, B. I. Corporation Ord. 2/12, Cal Safe Deposit 5/4, Dunlop Rubber Ord. 10/12, Dunlop Rubber First Pref. 125, Kalimpong Ropeway 10/4, Publicity Society 6/4, Rohtas Industry Ord. 22/1, Rohtas Industry Pref. 125, British Burma Petrol 3/2, British Ceylon Corporation 4/8, Indo Burma petroleum Ord. 103, Tidewater Oil 12, Assam Saws 1, Mahaswastika 101.

Teas:—Belgachi 6/8, Pathemara 8/4.

Rubber:—Digwarrah 5.

Debentures:—Three and quarter per cent. Howrah Bridge 1956/66 102/9, four per cent. 1912/42, Calcutta Municipal 103/8 small lot, five per cent. 1937/42/47 Star Trading Investment 100/12.—A. P.

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, June 21

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dollars
Amr Power and Light Pfd 5 p.c. A	29½
Amr Forn Power Com	3
Amr Forn Power Gold D 5 p.c.	53 1/2
Amr Forn Power Pfd 7 per cent	20
Electric Bond Common	8
United Corporation	2
American Tel and Tel	132 1/2
Sun Life of Canada	472
Western Union Telg	22 3/4
Canadian Pacific Railway	6
Great North Pfd Railway	17
New York Central Railway	12 1/2
Southern Pacific Railway	12
Union Pacific Railway	66
Texax Corp	40 1/2
Houdaille Hershey 2 1/2 per cent A	20½
Gillette Safety 5 per cent Pfd	54 1/2
United States Steel	46 1/4
Bethelehem Steel	48 1/2
Bethelehem Steel 7 per cent Pfd	87
Crucibl Steel	28
Ludlum Steel	16
Republic Steel	15
Anaconda Copper Mining	27 1/4
Int Nickel of Canada	45 1/2
Chrysler Motors	47
General Motors	32 1/2
General Electric	36 1/2
Union Carbide	68 1/2
Consolidated Oil	9 1/4
Socony Oil	14 1/2
Chase Bank	29 1/4
National City Bank	24
Guerenty Trust	220

Foreign countries buying pivotal American stocks resulting in a turnover of 1 1/2 million shares—biggest in last three months. General sentiment bullish though a reaction may occur.

Produce Receipts

Bombay, June 22.

Wheat	8,284 cwts.
Linseed	2,123 cwts.
Rape, Sai and Mustardseeds	84 cwts.
Gingelyseed	422 cwts.
Poppyseed	225 cwts.
Groundnuts	4,394 cwts.
Rice	44,235 cwts.
Myrabollams	635 cwts.
Cottonseed	7,417 cwts.
Gram	2,825 cwts.
Joowar	99 cwts.
Barley	172 cwts.
Bajree	499 cwts.
Indian Sugar	3,963 cwts.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 17th day of June, 1938.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES

	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	36,20,05,000
Notes in circulation:—	
(a) Legal Tender in India	170,88,18,000
(b) Legal Tender in Burma only	7,42,15,000
Total Notes issued	214,50,38,000
Total Liabilities	214,50,38,000

ASSETS—

	Rs.
A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—	
(a) Held in India	41,54,53,000
(b) Held outside India	2,86,98,000
Sterling Securities	76,14,37,000
Total of A.	120,55,88,000
B. Rupee Coin	61,59,25,000
Government of India Rupee Securities	32,35,25,000
Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial Paper	Nil
Total Assets	214,50,38,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 56.204 per cent.

Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India, Banking Department, as on the 17th June, 1938.

LIABILITIES—

	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000
Deposits:—	
(a) Government*	18,57,36,000
(b) Banks	16,25,34,000
(c) Others	57,78,000
Bills Payable	8,60,000
Other Liabilities	88,14,000
Rupees	46,37,22,000

*Includes £140,500 held in London on account of the High Commissioner converted at 1s. 6d. to the rupee.

ASSETS.—

	Rs.
Notes:—	
(a) Legal Tender in India	36,19,99,000
(b) Legal Tender in Burma only	6,000
Rupee Coin	4,97,000
Subsidiary Coin	4,62,000
Bills Discounted:—	
(a) Internal	1,30,000
(b) External	Nil
(c) Government of India Treasury Bills	25,19,000
Balances held abroad+	2,12,55,000
Loans and Advances to the Govt.	12,00,000
Other Loans nd Advances	Nil
Investments	6,66,97,000
Other Assets	79,57,000
Rupees	46,37,22,000

+Includes Cash and Short term Securities.

INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, June 22

There was active general buying with scarcity of offerings. The tone of the market was good. Investors look upon present prices attractive. The turnover was good.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

3 1/2 per cent paper	98/5
4 per cent 1960/70	113/6
5 per cent 1945/55	117/14

BANKS

Baroda	116/4
Bank of Hindusthan	35/12
Central	30/10
Imperial Bank F P	1552/8
Imperial Bank P P	387/8
India Bank	142/4
Indian Overseas Bank	47
Reserve Bank	115/4
Union Bank	5/10

TEXTILES

Ambica	242/8
Arun	410
Arvind	1135
Asok	365
Bombay Dyeing	800
Buckingham and Carnatics	190
Century	238/2
Central India	213/14
Ahm New Textile	507/8
Bharatkhand	2715
Colaba	131/4
Delhi Cloth and Gen Mills	357/8
Elgin	212/8
Gokak	140
Indore	52/8
Jubilee	190
Kohinoor	257/8
Laxmi Cotton	460
Mysore	90
Marsden	98/2
Morarji	1100
New Great	185
Raipur	696/4
Rajnagar	315
Simplex	74/6
Swadeshi	180
Sajjan	97/8
Vishnu	1170
Madhusudan	200
Khatau	100
Hukamchand	190
Bhandari	90

HYDRO ELECTRIC

Andhra Valley ord	1427/8
Tata Hydro Ord	155
Tata Power Ord	1355

ELECTRIC

Ahmedabad Electrics	138/12
Bombay Suburban	136/4
Bombay Tram	123/2
Surat	168/12
Ajmer	12/14

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock Ashdown	275
Associated Cements	115
Belapur	145
Bombay Burma New	151/4
Bombay Burma Old	470
Bombay Steam	215
Bombay Telephone	88/4
Burma Corporation	58
Br B Petrol	2/14
Daimia Cement	8/12
Indian Bleaching	125
Industrial Investment Tr	39
Indian Radio Ord	390
Indian Radio Defd	600
Indian Copper	2/3
Indian Iron	22/10
Mysore Sugar	20/8
Port Canning	665
Premier Construction	60
Scindia Steam	17/2
Shivrajpur	33
Tata Oil	25/8
Tata Steel ordy	217
Tata Steel Defd	925

JUTES

Birla Jute	11/12
Howrah	38/6
Hukumchand	6/4
Kamarhatty	375
Kanknarrah	290
Lawrence	302
Reliance	50

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVED

Bombay, June 22.

L Edward's s.s. Sturmfels of 3834 reg tons Capt A Fooken arrived from Bushire in water ballast.

SAILED

Killick Nixon s.s. City of Venice of 5492 reg tons Capt H Percival sailed for Marseilles, Antwerp Dunkerk and Liverpool via Karachi with local and same bottom cargo.

B I S N s.s. Takliwa of 3742 reg tons Capt O W A H Hole sailed for Durban via Marmagoa and East and South African Ports with passengers and local cargo.

B I S N s.s. Bankura of 1896 reg tons Capt R R Marsh sailed for Basra via Karachi and Persian Gulf Ports with passengers and local cargo.

LOADING

The following vessels booked for loading on 22-6-38.

S S Barala (MM) for Persian Gulf Ports via Karachi

S S Gogra (MM) for Rangoon Colombo via Coast Ports

S S City of Bath (FFC) for American Ports via Colombo Madras Rangoon and Calcutta.

STEAMERS IN DOCKS

ALEXANDRA DOCK

Bombay, June 22.

1 Takliwa 3742 Durban 22-6 M M
2 City of Venice 5492 Karachi 22-6 K Nixon
3 Circassia 6597 Karachi 24-6 Anchor Line
4 London Maru 4414 Japan 26-6 O S K Kaisya
5 Sumatra 3266 Portsaid 22-6 L Edwards
6 Sturmfels 3804 Antwerp N F L Edwards
7 Bangalore 2875 Japan 23-6 M M
8 Floristan 3483 London 30-6 Grahams T
9 Ampleforth 2765 Portsaid for orders 2-7 Ralli Bros.
11 Leicester 1994 Karachi 24-6 J Finlay
15 Sutherland 2953 Port Said (for orders) 2-7 L Dreyfus
17 Tairea 3756 Durban 20-7 M M

VICTORIA DOCK

1 Gambhira 3196 N F N F M M
3 Bankura 1896 P. Gulf 22-6 M M
4 Varela 1926 Busra 23-6 M M

PRINCE'S DOCK

K Rizwani 3306 N F N F T Morrison
M Vasna 2026 N F 21-7 M M

Steamers Expected

FROM LONDON

Rawalpindi 7-7-38 P and O S N
Dalgoma 6-7-38 P and O S N
Mooltan 14-7-38 P and O
Ranpura 23-6-38 P and O
Strathmore 30-6-38 P and O

FROM LIVERPOOL

Cilicia 22-7-38 Anchor Line
Clan Matheson 23-6-38 J Finlay
City of Agra 27-6-38 Killick Nixon

FROM HAMBURG

Enggano 30-6-38 L Edwards
Kybfels 2-7-38 L Edwards

FROM GOTHENBURG

Rinda 29-6-38 L Edwards

FROM NEW YORK

City of Bath 24-6-38 F F Campbell
Pres Polk 28-6-38 F F Campbell
Ernebank 30-6-38 F F Campbell

FROM TRIESTE

Conte Verde 28-6-38 L Triestino

FROM CHINA AND JAPAN

Yeifuku Maru 10-7-38 O S Kaisha
Mirzapore 30-6-38 P and O
Conte Rosso 8-7-38 L Triestino
Victoria 29-6-38 L Triestino
Toyama Maru 30-6-38 N Y Kaisha
Carthage 25-6-38 P and O S N
China Maru 15-7-38 N Kaisha
Himalaya Maru 23-6-38 O S Kaisha

FROM JEDDAH

Alavi 22-6-38 T Morrison

FROM BASRA

Varsova 25-6-38 M M
Baroda 30-6-38 M M
Barala 23-6-38 M M

FROM SYDNEY

Maloja 16-7-38 P and O S N
Comorin 2-7-38 P and O S N

FROM DURBAN

Karanja 25-6-38 M M
Takliwa 9-7-38 M M
Talamba 9-7-38 M M
Kenya 23-7-38 M M

FROM BASSEIN

Gamboda 30-6-38 M M

FROM MOULMEIN

Naringa 30-6-38 M M

FROM CALCUTTA

Garzana 22-6-38 M M
Chyebassa 26-6-38 M M

FROM RANGOON

Hatimura 23-6-38 M M
Jalajyoti 22-6-38 Scindia S N

FROM KARACHI

Braunfels 30-6-38 L Edward
Durenda 29-6-38 M M
Tokiwa Maru 25-6-38 N Y Kaisha

Sailing Dates

FOR LONDON

Comorin 2-7-38 P and O S N
Durenda 6-7-38 M M
Rajputana 9-7-38 P and O S N
Carthage 25-6-38 P and O S N
Maloja 16-7-38 P and O S N
Floristan 30-6-38 Graham Trading

FOR LIVERPOOL

City of Venice 6-7-38 K Nixon
Cilicia 1-7-38 Anchor Line
Caithness 22-6-38 Grahams Trading

FOR HAMBURG

Goldenfels 29-6-38 L Edwards
Sturmfels 29-6-38 L Edwards

FOR NEW YORK

Pres. Polk 30-6-38 F F Campbell
City of Bath 26-6-38 F F Campbell

FOR TRIESTE

Conte Rosso 8-7-38 Triestino
Conte Verde 26-7-38 L Triestino

FOR GENOA

Victoria 29-6-38 L Triestino

FOR CHINA AND JAPAN

Bangalore 23-6-38 P and O S N
Conte Verde 28-6-38 L Triestino
Himalaya Maru 10-7-38 O S Kaisha
Ranpura 23-6-38 P and O S N
Tokiwa Maru 1-7-38 N Y Kaisha
Rawalpindi 7-7-38 P and O S N
London Maru 26-6-38 O S Kaisha

FOR SYDNEY

Mooltan 14-7-38 P and O S N
Strathmore 30-6-38 P and O S N

FOR BASRA

Varsova 30-6-38 M M
Barala 29-6-38 M M
Bankura 22-6-38 M M
Varela 23-6-38 M M

FOR JEDDAH

Alavi 25-6-38 T Morrison

FOR MAURITIUS

Akbar 28-6-38 T Morrison

FOR DURBAN

Karanja 5-7-38 M M
Tairea 20-7-38 M M

FOR PORT SAID

Ampleforth 2-7-38 Ralli Bros.
Sutherland 2-7-38 L Dreyfus

FOR RANGOON

Jalakrishna 26-6 Scindia S N

FOR CALCUTTA

Chyebassa 3-7-38 M M

FOR KARACHI

Circassia 24-6-38 Anchor Line
City of Leicester 24-6-38 J Finlay

B. P. T. GENERAL LANDING DATES

S S Sumatra 20-6-38
S S Gambhira 21-6-38
S S Jalakhrisna 21-6-38
S S Bangalore 22-6-38

EXPORTS

S S Sturmfels for Hamburg: 55 bales raw cotton K Devchand; 30 bags gum E Vallimahomed; 2666 bags gingally seed The Oil Seeds Trading; 55 bales cotton waste L O Vora; 139 bales wool raw Ralli Bros; 110 bales raw cotton Patel Cotton; 79 bales raw cotton A Podar.

For Antwerp: 158 bags nux vomica seeds S R Pusalkar; 1945 bags kardi seeds G Gokalchand; 232 bags mustard seed G Gokalchand.

For Stravanger: 1000 bags gr nut oil cake meal K Prasad.

For Euschede: 22 bales raw cotton V Ladha.

For Ghent: 125 bales raw cotton M Rajaram.

S S London Maru for Kobe: 400 bales raw cotton V Ladha

For Shanghai: 450 bales raw cotton Langley.

For Nagasaki: 55 bales raw cotton K Devchand.

S S Floristan for London: 300 bags myrabollam K Tricamji; 28 bags gum Amin and Sons.

For Gdynia: 55 bales raw cotton M K Kaisha.

S S Circassia for Liverpool: 70 bales wool raw The Eastern Wool Trading; 2000 pkts myrabollam H Bhagwandas; 250 bales cotton waste M Chandulal.

For Manchester: 25 bales cotton twist waste V A Save.

For Glasgow: 60 bags gr nut kernels S M Rajgor.

For Marseilles: 16 bales cotton fly Sapt T Products (India); 1200 bags crushed bones J J Rahimtoola.

For Montreal: 56 bags celery seeds Thos Cook

S S City of Bath for New York: 100 bags fennel seed A P Gupta; 65 bags flea seed A P Gupta.

For Norfolk: 175 bales jute rags J Motilal.

For Philadelphia: 24 bales goat skins d/s D Abraham.

S S Sumatra for Beyrouth: 10 cases cotton grey yarn A H Diab.

For Alexandretta: 65 bales cotton grey yarn A H Diab; 15 bales cotton grey yarn M A Al Abdul Razzak.

S S Ampleforth for Port Said (for orders): 1172 bags linseed Ralli Bros.

S S Sutherland for Port Said (for orders): 978 bags lantils L Dreyfus.

S S Bangalore for Hongkong: 30 bales cotton grey yarn P Madhavani.

S S Ranpura for Wellington: 24 bales cotton twist waste M Chandulal.

For Hongkong: 178 bales cotton grey yarn Pavri Sons.

IMPORTS

M S Circassia Agent Anchor Line Ltd from Glasgow: 100 bales old news papers; 106 cases sewing cotton thread on reels; 223 cases whisky; 595 cases beer; 434 hds ale; 50 cases scott's oats; 49 cases stl axles; 68 cases boiler fittings; 94 cases c i sliuce valves; 73 cases san eware; 150 brls coal pitch; 1956 plates hard spelter; 105 bags wire nails, 231 cases rivets; 65 lse slt joists; 56 d/bags bolts and nuts,

From Alexandria: 912 bales cotton.

From Liverpool: 592 coils m s hoops; 375 cases tiles; 334 dms bleachg powder; 600 bdls stl sheet middles; 221 cases machy; 150 pcs c i cisterns; 47 pcs lava (strawed); 400 kgs sulphate of copper; 600 dms caustic soda; 40 cases carbonate of ammonia; 78 cases cotton yarn; 40 bdls w i flats; 378 bdls stl fittings and pipes; 47 cases stl bars; 75 trusses hessian patent packing; 247 cases cottons; 136 cases mill printing machy; 78 lse m s bars; 192 pcs m s structures; 35 lse motor covers; 100 kgs hydro sulphite of soda; 80 bags magnesia and asbestos compound; 100 pairs stl flanges; 52 bxs storage batteries; 60 bales leather scrap; 264 bdls wrought stl tubing; 68 bags woodware; 43 pcs c i valves; 300 bdls y m sheets; 40 dms sodium sulphite; 160 bdls stl sheet pieces; 53 bags indigo grains; 360 bdls black stl sheets; 314 bdls cycle rims;

KARACHI PRODUCE MARKET

KARACHI CITY, June 22.

To-days Closing quotations:—

Sind Cotton July	14/1/6
Sind Cotton January	15/8/0
Punjab July	12/4/6
Punjab January	13/10/3
Desi America July	17/9/0
Desi America January	18/9/0
Quiet Wheat July	21/1/6
Quiet Wheat Sept.	21/6/3
Quiet Grain July	21/8/6
Quiet Grain Sept.	21/12/0
Toria July	34/2/0
Toria Sept.	34/7/9
Cottonseed July	15/1/0
Cottonseed Sept.	15/9/6
Cottonseed January	16/1/0

LINSEED OIL

London, June 21

Linseed oil London per cwt naked July sellers	22/9
Linseed oil London per cwt naked Sept Dec sellers	22/9

LONDON PRODUCE

London, June 21

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe parcels Unquoted	
Wheat Barletta Russo parcels June sellers	34/3
Wheat South Australian parcels June sellers	32/3

LONDON RUBBER

London, June 21

Smoked sheets standard ribbed per lb Sellers	6 3/8

Bombay And Liverpool Buying Cheer N. Y. Cotton Market

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT TO MAKE IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

American Cotton Crop Needs Warm Weather

BOMBAY, June 22.

THE STRENGTH OF THE STOCK MARKET WITH BUYING FROM BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL CHEERED THE NEW YORK COTTON MARKET ON TUESDAY WHERE THERE WAS ALSO SOME DISPOSITION TO PURCHASE ON REPORTS OF POSSIBLE IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

The New York Cotton Market opened steady in moderately active trading. Prices advanced on higher Liverpool and Bombay cables, increased activity in textiles and further rains in the Eastern belt. The advance met with considerable realising and local and New Orleans selling but offers were well taken. July liquidation was progressing with contracts wanted by trade shorts. Finally renewed buying appeared with the session closing steady. American cotton crop needs warm weather.

NEW YORK MARKET

The New York cotton market opened at a rise of six points with July 8.58. Under scattered selling prices declined to 8.56 which was the lowest level but renewed buying raised prices to 8.63 which was the highest level for the day. The market was steady at this level and finally closed at a net rise of 10 to 8 points. Spot cotton prices advanced 9 points at 8.71 c. per lb.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was quiet but steady and closed at a rise of 4 to 6 points. Spot cotton prices were raised 3 points at 8.70 c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL MARKET

The Liverpool cotton futures market opened at a rise of 3 points with July 4.62. There was general buying and contracts shortage as a result of diversion of cotton to loan on unfavourable weather. Later on there was profit taking and Bombay liquidation. Later on there was American straddle selling which met trade calling and local covering. The market closed at a rise of 5 to 6 points. Middling American spot cotton prices advanced 8 points at 4.34 d. per lb.

EGYPTIAN COTTON

Egyptian cotton futures market was very steady and Giza futures closed at a rise of 12 to 8 points. Upper futures gained 9 to 8 points.

The Alexandria cotton market was fairly firm and closed at a rise of 32 to 15 points.

LARGE STOCKS

The gradual fall throughout the earlier part of the week under hedge and fixing sales and liquidations in the absence of any sustained support from trade sources, was sharply accentuated yesterday when an increased volume of selling was provoked by the steep overnight fall at New York accompanied by weak Liverpool cables. The extension of the decline, however, attracted a number of trade orders which had a steadying effect, and to-day though the further break at New York provoked stop-loss sales at the opening, causing further sharp recessions, resistance was provided again by trade buying, and a rally has since been made with the assistance of short-covering.

GENERAL FEELING

Underlying sentiment remains bearish, however, the feeling being that unless export demand shows a further material expansion, prices will be maintained only with difficulty even at their present levels in view of the huge supplies still on hand and of the large quantity of cotton sold by growers on the basis of contracts which has yet to be fixed. Receipts from the villages so far this month exceed exports by 40 per cent. and Alexandria stocks are now at the peak for the season at 2,820,000 cantars.

New mill demand shows little promise of reviving. The bulk trade buying yesterday and to-day was in response to spinners' calls related to old engagements, the decline having disclosed a number of outstanding limits. A certain amount of new prompt-shipment business is in progress in Giza 7, Ashmouni, and Zagora, but forward business remains virtually at a standstill.

The spot market has been active, sales averaging 2,000 bales daily. There is a good demand for Giza 7 and short-stapled varieties, and Maarad is also sought, but other varieties are neglected.

PRIVATE CABLES—

New York July highest (1-22 p.m.)	8.63+11
New York July lowest (10-22 a.m.)	8.56+04
Liverpool July highest	4.68+09
Liverpool July lowest	4.62+03

Messrs. Bishwambharlal Maheshwari have received to-day the following cable information from their foreign friends:—

Liverpool: Crop prospects unfavourable too much rain trade demand contracts very scarce.

New York: Think market near top advise taking profits.

Good business textiles promoting more active trade demand undertone firm despite reactionary sentiment profit taking.

Messrs. Devkaran Nanjee have received the following cables from their New York friends:—

"Strength of securities causing a better feeling. Good business in dry goods. Realising well absorbed but indications of clearing weather to west of Mississippi points to possibility of reaction."

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co. Ltd. have received to-day the following cable information from their foreign friends:—

New York: Foreign and commission house buying with selling chiefly profit taking and July liquidation.

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cables:—

Cable received from Messrs. Geo. H. McFadden and Bros:

Better demand goods market account Government buying; too much rain over Belt creating fears potential insect damage; crop needs dry warm weather.

Their New York friends cabled:

Good business textiles promoting more active trade demand, undertone firm despite reactionary sentiment profit taking.

Their Liverpool Agents cabled:

New speculative and trade buying, better textiles,

Weather Over U. S. Cotton Belt

Eastern: Partly scattered showers

Central: Partly cloudy. Scattered thunder showers.

Western: Partly cloudy.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, June 21

July	8.61+09
October	8.63+08
December	8.68+08
January	8.68+10
March	8.73+09
May	8.75+08
Middling Spot	8.71+09

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New York, June 21

July	8.66+04
October	8.71+05
December	8.76+06
Middling Spot	8.70+03

NEW YORK

New York, June 21

11-00 A.M. RANGES

July	8.59/8.59
October	8.62/8.62
December	8.67/8.67

NOON CALL

July	8.59
October	8.62
December	8.66

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS

New York, June 21

Day's receipts at all U S Ports	5,000 bales
Day's exports to Great Britain	nil
Day's exports to the Continent	2,000 bales
Day's exports to China and Japan	1,000 bales

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, June 21

June	4.64+06
July	4.65+06
August	4.69+06
September	4.73+06
October	4.78+06
November	4.80+06
December	4.81+05
January	4.83+05
February	4.84+05
March	4.86+05
April	4.87+05
May	4.89+05
June	4.90+05
Middling Spot	4.84+04

10-12 a.m. quotations

May	4.65
October	4.77

LONDON SHARE QUOTATIONS

London, June 20.

Messrs. Lewis and Jones, Bombay, have received the following quotations by cable from their London Agents:

Names.	Latest Prices.
London Nigerian Tin Mines Ltd.	£0 5 3
Guest, Keen and Nettlefold	1 5 3
Turner and Newall	3 16 9
Associated Elec. Industries	1 15 3
Attock Oil	1 14 6
Barsi Light Railways	60 0 0
Automatic Telephone and Elec. Ord.	2 0 0
Castlefield (Klang) Rubber	0 2 4½
Beira Railways	1 5 6
United Br. Oilfields of Trinidad	0 12 6
Marconi International Marine	1 5 0
Western Union Telegraph	dol 22.00
General Electric Ordinary	3 10 6
Fairey Aviation Co. Ltd.	1 5 9
Perak Hydro Electric Ordinary	1 0 3
International Rly. of C. America	dol 3.00
Malayalam Plantations	1 5 3
British Burma Petroleum	0 4 0
Soudan Plantation Syndicate	1 7 3
British South Africa (Chartered)	1 5 3
Pahang Consolidated Ord.	0 14 6
Indian Copper Corpn. Ord.	0 3 0
Brazilian Traction Light and Power	dol 11.00
American Radiator	dol 11.50
Timken Roller Bearing Co.	dol 34.50
American Can Company	dol 65.50
General Goods Corporation	dol 30.00
Marlu Gold Mining Areas Ltd.	0 14 3
New Goldfields of Venezuela Ltd.	0 3 0
Bisinchi Tin Co. (Nigerian) Ltd.	0 6 3
Mawchi Mines Ltd.	1 15 3
Messina (Transvaal) Ltd.	0 11 3
Trust of Bank and Insurance Shares	0 19 0
Trust of Bank Share Units	0 18 0
Trust of Insurance Share Units	1 0 9
British Treasury Bills (3 months)	0 11 5
	68 p.c. p.a.

NEW YORK COFFEE

New York, June 21

Fair rio coffee No. 7 quality 6 1/8

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, June 22

Following a further rise of 9 points in New York cotton futures, the local market opened to-day at Rs. 149/12 for Broach J/A delivery and advanced to Rs. 150/4 on scattered buying. Later on there was increased realising on private reports of clearing weather in America and prices declined to Rs. 149/8. At this level there was scattered buying. The market was quiet.

Liverpool market opened at a decline of 4 points and prices in the local market declined to Rs. 149/2. Later Liverpool was 3 points up and with improved buying prices here advanced to Rs. 150/8. The market closed at 5 p.m. as under:—

F G M G—			
Broach J/A 1938	150	6	0
Broach A/M. 1939	170	8	0
Fine M G—			
Oomra July	138	12	0
Oomra D/J	151	0	0
F G M G—			
Bengal July	115	6	0
Bengal D/J	128	0	0

Cotton Room Rates

Bombay, June 22.

	Extra Spr-fine	Sup	Fine	FG	Good
M. G.—					
Bengal U.P.	120	117	114	111	
Punjab	120	117	114	111	
Rajputana	120	117	114	111	
Oomra No. 3	144	141	138	135	...
C. P. No. 1	157	154	151	148	...
C. P. No. 2	149	146	143	140	...
Broach No. 2	164	152	150	148	
Punjab-Ame.	176	173	170	167	
Surat	205	202	199	196	
Rajpipla	197	194	191	188	
Navsari	211	208	205	202	

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, June 22.

Bengal Superfine	117/19
Bengal Fine	114/15
C. P. 1	147/52
C. P. 2	142/43
Arvi	143/44
Amraoti	135/39
Ellichpur	141/42
Berar	135/39
Khandesh	122/27
Jalna/Sailu	127/30
Burwah/Sanavad	139/42
Khandwa	140/42
Harda/Khirkiya	141/42
Mathia	117/22
Malkapur	132/35
Broach	150/51
Punjab 4F.	166/74
Punjab 289F.	195/205
Sindh N.T.	180/85
Kampala	264/68
Jinja	248/50
Navsari	205/07

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, June 22.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

Since 1st September.

In full-pressed Bales.

	Yester-day year.	This year.	Last year.
Khandesh	53,749	205,534	
Central India	44,024	334,089	
Barsi and Nagar	16	149,189	173,781
Hyderabad-Gaorani	40,224	101,369	
Berar	54	323,005	578,405
Central Provinces	288	79,935	113,865
Total Oomras	358	690,126	1,507,043
Dholera	3,815	127,561	153,699
N.-W. Provinces		2,896	9,750
Rajputana		16,100	94,116
Sind-Punjab	143	516,041	333,430
Broach	155	261,101	339,842
Coompta and Dharwar	36	50,895	63,480
Westerns-Northerns		22,016	37,567
Cocoanada		23	153
Tinnevelly and Cambodia		3,706	15,592
American		177,828	18,163
Egyptian, African and Sudan	4,129	473,908	375,286
Comilla, Burma and other sorts		1,171	36
Total	8,636	2,343,372	2,948,157

Export From Bombay

1st Sept. to 16th June

In full-pressed Bales.

	Yester-day year.	This year.	Last year.
Europe	2,229	264,984	437,610
Japan and China	7,450	616,813	1,369,258
Coast Ports		56,023	32,021
Up-country by Rail		314,520	225,877
Afloat in harbour for Europe China and Japan		5,792	7,741
Total	9,679	1,257,932	2,072,507

American Cotton Figures

	1937-38	1936-37
F.P. Bales Receipts to date 21-6-38	7741000	6767000
Receipts Yesterday 21-6-38	5000	3000
Exports to date 21-6-38	5670000	5527000
Stock at Ports 17-6-38	2530000	1266000
Stock at Interior Towns 17-6-38	2115000	996000
Stock at Liverpool 17-6-38	1173000	913000
Visible Supply 17-6-38	6079000	3564000
Quantity in sight 17-6-38	13329000	12861000
Quantity out of sight 17-6-38	10131000	12549000

American Cotton Crop

Liverpool, June 22.

Heavy rains in Eastern Belt and Alabama. Forecast Central Belt generally fair, all balance entire belt partly cloudy.

Egyptian Cotton

Liverpool, June 21

GIZA—	
Spot	7.11+12
July	6.65+12
October	6.73+09
November	6.73+09
January 1939	6.78+08
March	6.86+09
May	6.92+09
UPPERS—	
Spot	5.91+12
July	5.77+09
October	5.77+08
November	5.82+08
January 1939	5.87+08
March	5.92+08
May	5.96+08

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, June 22

Yesterday London gold prices declined 1/2d. to £7-0-9 1/2. London Paris Exchange rate was 3 points down at 177.93. Dollar sterling cross rate was 4.95 3/8. London silver prices advanced 1/8d. to 15 15/16d. Bears covered and offerings were small. The market was steady with American trade buying. New York silver was 42 3/4 cents and Montreal futures closed unchanged. Shanghai T T on London was quoted 0-8 3/4.

The local market was steady on higher London advices but in the absence of any buying silver ruled quiet. Gold was also quiet with a small business.

GOLD

Ready	35	7	3
Ashad delivery	35	8	3
Ashad Tejimandi	0	3	6
Shrawan delivery	35	9	0
Shrawan Tejimandi	0	6	0
SILVER			
Ready	49	11	0
Ashad delivery	49	9	0
Ashad Tejimandi	0	9	6
Shrawan delivery	49	7	0
Shrawan Tejimandi	1	0	0

LONDON SILVER

London, June 21

Spot	18 15/16
Forward	18 5/8

LONDON GOLD

London, June 21

Gold Bars fine per oz £7-0-9 1/2

Montreal Silver

Montreal, June 21

June	42.40
July	43.20
September	42.90

LONDON METALS

London, June 21

Copper	£36 12 6
Lead	£14 15 0
Spelter	£13 15 0
Tin	£186 17 6

Bombay Metals

Bombay, June 22.

London Market.—

Standard copper cash (buyers)	£36/10
Standard copper 3 months	£36/15
Electrolytic copper	£41/0

Bombay Market.—

Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 36
Copper sheets	Rs. 41

Tone:—Firm.

LONDON GROUNDNUTS AND CACKES

London, June 22.

Groundnuts—	
July	£10 7 6
September	£10 11 3
Groundnuts cackes—	
August	£6 10 0

Groundnuts Coromandel Shelled

London, June 21.

July	£10-10.
August	£10-11-3.

Groundnuts And Seeds

Bombay, June 22.

Groundnuts Aug.—			
Opening	30	10	0
Highest	30	15	6
Lowest	30	5	3
Closing	30	13	3
Castorseeds Sept.—			
Opening	30	3	0
Highest	30	11	0
Lowest	30	2	6
Closing	30	10	0
Cottonseeds Sept.—			
Opening	19	9	6
Highest	19	15	0
Lowest	19	9	0
Closing	19	13	3

Liverpool Wheat

Liverpool, June 21.

July	78 1/8d.
October	71 1/4d.
December	70 1/4d.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, June 21.

July	dol 0.77.
September	dol 0.78.
December	dol 0.79 7/8.

London Sugar

London, June 21

Sugar August ..... sh 5 2 1/4d.

New York Sugar

New York, June 21.

September	1.81.
March	1.88.
May	1.91.

Bombay Sugar

Ready Javas Rs. 15-4.

Shipment July-Sept. Rs. 5-2.

Shipment Oct.-Dec. Rs. 5-3.

Kesar Rs. 12-13.

Saraya Rs. 12-7.

Java Spot F 5.40.

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, June 21

T T London on:—	
New York	4,95.43
Paris	177.93
Berlin	12.30
Madrid	90.00
Montreal	5.00 1/2
Amsterdam	8.94 9/16
Brussels	9.20 3/4
Milan	94.25
Berne	21.58

LONDON SEEDS

London, June 21

Linseed La Plata Hull c.i.f. ton June sellers	£11-10-0
Linseed Calcutta London c.i.f. ton June sellers	£12-10-0
Linseed Bombay London c.i.f. ton June sellers	£12-17-6
Rapeseed Toria Hull Cont c.i.f. ton June July sellers	£11-2-6
Castorseed Bombay Hull c.i.f. ton June July sellers	£11-5-0

GOVT. SECURITIES

Bombay, June 22

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52 Loan	100/3
3 per cent 1951/54 Loan	102/12
3 per cent 1941 Bonds	102/13
3 per cent (1963-65)	98/2
3 1/2 per cent G P Notes (Cash)	98/8
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 Loan	106/2
4 per cent 1943 Bonds	108/7
4 per cent 1960/70 Loan	113/4
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 Loan	119/10
per cent U.P Bonds	97/0
5 per cent 1939/44 Loan	103/8
5 per cent 1940/43 Loan	107
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 Loan	101/3
TAX FREES.	
5 per cent 1945/55 Loan	117/12
4 per cent 1953/63 Mysore	112/4
5 per cent 1955 Mysore	124/4
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore	101/2
CORPORATION DEBENTURES.	
4 per cent 1974 B P T	110/8
4 per cent 1974 M Deb	109/8
5 per cent 1959 M Deb	118
6 per cent 1954 M Deb	131/0
6 per cent 1956 K P T	131/0

Note: 3 1/2 per cent Government paper opened at Rs. 98/4 for settlement and closed at Rs. 98/5. Tone steady.

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, June 22

B C RATES—

T T L D 1/5 23/32

LONDON—

Bank's selling T T D D 1/5 3/4 June-March

Bank's buying T T 1/5 13/16

Bank's buying D D 1/5 27/32

Bank's buying 3 months 1/5 29/32

NEW YORK—

Bank's selling T T 273 3/4

Bank's buying T T 271 1/4

PARIS—

Bank's selling T T 1,305

Bank's buying T T 1,335

JAPAN—

Bank's selling T T 79 1/8

Bank's buying T T 78 1/2

AMSTERDAM—

Bank's selling D D 65 3/4

JAVA—

Bank's selling D D 65 5/8

HONGKONG—

Bank's selling D D 85

SHANGHAI—

Bank's selling D D 5

SINGAPORE—

Bank's selling D D 157 1/2

BERLIN—

Bank's selling D D 88 1/4

CROSS RATE—

New York London 4.95.37 21st instant

Japan London 1/2 1/64 22nd instant

Hongkong London 1/2 15/16 22nd instant

Shanghai London 0/8 3/4 22nd instant

Java London 8.94 1/4 22nd instant

London Paris 177.93 21st instant

London Belgium 29.20 3/4 21st instant

London Switzerland 21.58 21st instant

London Berlin 12.33 21st instant

London Stockholm 19.59 1/2 21st instant

London New York 4.95.43 21st instant

London Amsterdam 8.95 1/4 21st instant

London Italy 94.25 21st instant

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Uncertain.

Gold £7-0-10 20th instant

Gold £7-0-9 1/2 21st instant

Silver London Ready 18 13/16 20th instant

Silver London Ready 18 15/16 21st instant

Silver London Forward 18 1/2 20th instant

Silver London Forward 18 5/8 21st instant

Silver New York Ready 43 20th instant

Silver New York Ready 43 21st instant

London discounts 3 months 9/16 per cen. 20th instant

London discounts 3 months 9/16 per cent 21st instant

London discounts 6 months 5/8 per cent 20th instant

London discounts 6 months 5/8 per cent 21st instant

Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent.

Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.

Money:—

Call 1/2 per cent.

3 months 1 per cent.

6 months 1 1/4 per cent.

Tone:—Easy.

INDIAN STERLING LOANS

London, June 21

Call Loan London	1/2
3 per cent	79
3 1/2 per cent	92 3/4
3 1/2 per cent 1954/59	103 1/2
4 per cent 1948/53	107 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	112 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1958/68	115 3/4
5 per cent 1942/47	110
3 per cent 1949/52	100 1/2
2 1/2 per cent British Consols	74 1/4
3 1/2 per cent War Loan	101 3/4
4 per cent Funding Loan	113
Indian Iron and Steel Ordinary	35

BOMBAY YARN QUOTATIONS

Bombay, June 22.

Yarn No. 6 1/2s.—			
June	104	0	0
August	104	0	0
October	103	0	0
Yarn No. 10 1/2s.—			
June	114	0	0
August	114	0	0
October	114	0	0
Yarn No. 20 1/2s.—			
June	153	0	0
August	154	0	0
October	154	0	0

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, June 21

Rupee paper 3 1/2 per cent	£72
Indian stock 3 per cent 1948	£79
Indian stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£92 3/4
Indian stock 4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	£112 1/2
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£74 1/4
Conversion loan 3 1/2 p.c. 1961	£102 3/8
War loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952	£101 3/4
Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/90	£113
Victory Bonds	£111 5/8
Chartered Bank of I A and China	£11 5/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank London Reg	£87
National Bank of India	£38
P and O Banking Corporation nominal	£8 1/2

Pay In—July 11 Pay Out—July 13

Active Support In Tata Steel Shares

BUYERS FEEL CONFIDENT

Cotton Mill Shares Hardeninng

BOMBAY, June 22.

The local Share Bazar was very steady to-day with a steady support influenced by higher foreign advices.

The Wall Street market was firm in anticipation of constructive view of the spending programme and after a sharp rise on the previous day, U. S. Steel shares further improved dollar one and Anaconda Copper Mining shares gained dol. 1 1/8.

The reduction in steel prices by Tatas have had no effect as the world trade looks like gaining improvement. The pessimistic feeling is gradually disappearing. Now there are more buyers than sellers.

As pointed out shares now passing into strong hands and the market will show more inclination to respond to bullish advices.

The buying was general including cotton textile shares and Associated Cements. Tata Steels lead the upward trend of prices.

The general feeling is now becoming moderately bullish and prominent brokers feel that there will be steady substantial recovery in prices in all industrial sections. There was scattered realising towards the close.

TEXTILE SHARES

BOMBAY, June 22.

100 Ahm. Advance (Rs. 7)	342 8
250 BOM DYEING (Rs. 25 y)	798 12
10 CENTURY (Rs. 8 y)	239 6
100 CENTRAL INDIA (Rs. 4 1)	213 12
100 COLABA (Rs. 4 y)	132 8
100 Coorla (Rs. 5 y)	92 8
250 David	75 0
250 Dawn (Rs. 10 y)	310 0
1 E. D. Sassoon Df. (nil)	0-4-6
10 Finlay (Rs. 5 y)	122 8
100 Gokak (Rs. 3 y)	140 0
1,000 Hindustan	1,620 0
100 Indore (nil)	53 12
100 Khatau (Rs. 3 y)	100 0
100 KOHINOOR (Rs. 8 plus 4 b)	258 12
250 Laxmi (Rs. 12-8 y)	471 4
250 Madras United	35 0
1,000 Morarji (Rs. 40 y)	1,100 0
250 Model	39 0
50 MYSORE (Rs. 2)	120 0
200 NEW GREAT (nil)	185 10
100 Osmanshahi (Re. 1)	42 8
100 PHOENIX (Rs. 10 y)	230 0
25 Sassoon Silk (Rs. 2)	58 8
1,000 Sholapur (Rs. 30 y)	1,910 0
50 SIMPLEX (Rs. 2 y)	75 10
100 SWADESHI (Rs. 6 y)	181 4
100 Swan (Rs. 4 y)	97 13
500 Vishnu (Rs. 50 y) N	1,160 0
1,000 Western (Rs. 40 y)	802 8
BANKS.	
50-100 Baroda (Rs. 2-8)	115 8
25-50 Central (Rs. 12)	30 12
500 Imperial (Rs. 30)	1,557 8
125-500 Im. Contry. (Rs. 7-8)	387 8
51-100 India (Rs. 2-8)	142 8
100 Reserve Bank (Rs. 2-8)	115 0
5 Union (Rs. 4)	5 10
CEMENTS.	
100 ASSOCIATED (Rs. 7-8)	115 0
INSURANCE.	
100-500 Empire (Rs. 14)	690 0
15-100 Jupiter (As. 12)	14 0
20 Mercantile	55 8
15-70 New India (Rs. 14)	39 4
200 Oriental	4175 0
10-50 Vulcan (As. 8)	7 6
ELECTRIC.	
100 Ahm. Old (Rs. 6-8)	137 8
1,000 ANDHRA VALLEY (Rs. 40 plus 39)	1,430 0
10 Ajmer (As 8)	13 0
50 BOM. TRAM. (Rs. 2-8)	123 7
100 B'bay Suburban (Rs. 6-8)	136 14
10 Broach (As. 5)	10 6
100 Karachi (4)	215 10
100 Poona (4)	196 4
100 Surat (Rs. 3)	168 3
100 TATA HYDRO (Rs. 318 plus 3)	155 0
1,000 TATA POWER (Rs. 37 plus 29)	1,356 4
RAILWAYS	
500 Ahmedabad Prantij	955 10
100 C. Province	101 8
10 Dh Baramati	104 1
100 Gujarat	96 4
100 Mandra Bhon	99
100 Pachora Jamner	96 4
100 Sara Sirajgunj	100 12
500 Tapti Valley	728 12
MINING	
9 Burma Corp. (As. 11)	5 9
2sh. Indian Copper (As. 1-6)	2 3
10 Indian Iron and Steel (Rs. 1-8)	22 10
10 SHIVRAJPUR (Rs. 2)	33 0
30 TATA STEEL DEFD (Rs. 39-3-8)	926 0
75 TATA STEEL ORD. (Rs. 10)	218 0
MISCELLANEOUS.	
100 ALCOCK (Rs. 5)	276 4
50 BELAPUR SUGAR	145 10
200-250 Bombay Safe Dep.	855 0
250 BOMBAY STEAM (Rs. 2)	215 0
125 B. BURMA (Rs. 20)	471 4
50 D Conty (Rs. 8)	157 8
8sh. Br. B. Petrol	2 14
50 BOMBAY TELEPHONE (Rs. 2-8)	88 8
100 I. BLEACHING (Rs. 4)	125 0
50 I. Invest Trust	39 0
100 I. Radio Defd. (12)	527 8
100 I. Radio Ord. (15)	390 0
1,000 Port Canning (Rs. 26)	665 0
30 Premier Con. (Rs. 2-15)	60 4
16 Scindia	16 2
25 Tata Oil Mill (nil)	25 6
PREFERENCE.	
7 p.c. Andhra Valley	1505 0
6 p.c. Bombay Steam	289 6
7 p.c. B'bay Tram (T.F.)	66 12
5 p.c. Central India (T.F.)	550 0
6-1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 1st	102 0
6-1/4 p.c. Prem. Const. 2nd	94 4

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, June 22

Bombay Dyeing (783/12) 792 795 805 800 801 798

Century (233/12) 238 237 240 239 240 239

Central India (212/8) 215 213 216 213

Kohinoor (252/8) 255 258 257 262 259 258

New Great (181/4) 187 185

Simplex (74/6) 75

Swadeshi (177/8) 180 182 180 182 181

Associated Cements (112/12) 113/8 113 114 113/8 114/12 115

Andhra (1425) 1430

Tata Hydro (154/6) 154 155

Tata Power (1351/4) 1355 1357 1356 1360 1356

Tram Ord (123/7) 123 123/7

T Steel Defd (880) 915 912 920 915 922 917 937 930 925 930 920 922 925

T Steel Ord (209) 215 214 216 215 217 219 220 218 217 218

Tata Steel 2nd pref (171/8) 171/8 171/12 171/8

Bellapur (143/12) 145 146 145/10

B Steam (212/8) 213 215

B Burma (457/8) 465 470 467 470 472 470 471

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, June 21

Broach J/A 1938 opening 148 1/2 highest 151 3/8 lowest 148 1/2 closing 150 5/8

Broach A/M 1939 opening 167 1/2 highest 171 3/8 lowest 167 1/2 closing 170 3/8

Oomra July opening 136 7/8 highest 138 1/2 lowest 136 7/8 closing 138 1/2

Oomra D/J opening 150 1/4 highest 151 1/2 lowest 150 1/4 closing 151 1/2

Bengal July opening 113 highest 114 5/8 lowest 113 closing 114 5/8

Bengal D/J opening 127 highest 128 1/2 lowest 127 closing 127 3/4

Tejimandi for Broach July August 1938 (24-6-38) Rs. 3

Tejimandi for Broach April May 1939 (21-7-38) Rs. 8 1/8

Tejimandi for Broach April May 1939 (24-3-39) Rs. 24

Cotton Straddles

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES

New York Liverpool: July 101 October 125 December 126 January 130 March 131 May 135 at cross rate 4.95 3/8

Bombay Liverpool: Broach J/A 1938 150/8 Liverpool July 1938 4.66 Rs. 52 1/2 at exchange 1/6

Bombay Liverpool: Broach A/M 1939 170/4 Liverpool May 1939 4.90 Rs. 43 1/4 at exchange 1/6

Bombay New York: Broach J/A 1938 150/8 New York July 8.61 Rs. 42 3/4 at cross rate 4.95 3/8

Bombay New York: Broach A/M 1939 170/4 New York May 8.75 Rs. 26 at cross rate 4.93 3/8

Alexandria Cotton

Alexandria, June 21

SAKELS—	
July	12.45+24
November	13.03+15
ASHMOUNI—	
June	9.96+32
August	10.07+26
GIZA—	
July	12.18+31
November	12.50+24

Cotton Arrivals

	Bales
Receipts into Bombay on 19th June	4,375
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1937	2,334,736
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	2,945,015
Decrease	610,279

Osaka Sampin

Osaka, June 22

June	213.00
August	206.00
September	207.00
October	207.50

Osaka Cotton

Osaka, June 22

August	53.00
September	53.20

7 p.c. Tata Hydro	153 12
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Power	1,550 0
6 p.c Tata Steel 1st	211 4
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Steel 2nd	171 8
7 p.c. Vishnu	705 0
DEBENTURES.	
3-3/4 p.c. Andhra Valley	101 8
6 p.c. Andhra Valley	108 14
4 p.c Bombay Telephone	52 0
7 p.c. Sholapur	76 10
6 p.c. Tata Hydro	108 10

(Latest Dividend in Brackets and Capital Letters indicate shares on Forward List).

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BOMBAY: THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1938

Dictators Preparing For Attack On France?

Alliance With Britain Considered Impossible

Bohemia To Be Taken By Assault: Slovakia To Be Divided Between Poland And Hungary; Nazi Leaders Informed Of Agreement

LONDON, (By Air Mail).

THE SPECIAL DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT OF THE "SUNDAY REFEREE" IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF THE CONTENTS OF A SECRET MEMOIR OF AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE DICTATORS, WHICH HITLER HIMSELF IS ALLEGED TO HAVE DRAWN UP AFTER HIS RECENT VISIT TO ITALY, AND WHICH HE HAS CIRCULATED TO THE MOST IMPORTANT OF THE NAZI OFFICIALS. EVERY COPY OF THE MEMOIR IS NUMBERED AND ITS CIRCULATION IS STRICTLY CONTROLLED IN ORDER TO ENSURE SECRECY.

THE PROJECTED GERMAN-ITALIAN-BRITISH ALLIANCE IS REGARDED IN THIS MEMOIR AS IMPOSSIBLE.

The tactical moves indicated are as follows:—

Final occupation of Spain by the German-Italian coalition. This pre-supposes that the Anglo-Italian Agreement would collapse, as it does not come into force except on Italian withdrawal from Spain.

Protection of the Berlin-Rome axis against Russia by taking over control of Bohemia, including Prague (the document alludes to the partition of Slovakia between Hungary and Poland), and by the creation of an alliance between the Baltic States and Poland, Roumania and Yugoslavia.

Preparation of a big attack on France, forcing an unconditional return of the following regions: the 'stolen' colonies, the minority German territories under French control (Alsace-Lorraine) and the 'stolen' regions of Savoy and Tunisia.

The memoir points out that from the moment this programme is applied, the two armies of the axis should be ready to concentrate by every available means, and instantly against every threat to the programme.

Every effort will be made to carry out the programme little by little without actual engagement in war, but in case of serious difficulties, adds the memoir, there will be no hesitation to use every military force.—United Press.

HELP CAWNPORE STRIKERS

A. I. T. U. Congress President's Appeal

CALCUTTA: June 21.

Dr. Suresh Chandra Banerjee, President, All-India Trade Union Congress, has issued the following statement in connection with the Cawnpore Strike:—

"It is a matter of great delight that the U. P. Government has practically accepted the main principles of the Cawnpore Labour Enquiry Committee's report. That in the face of such a strong opposition of the employers the U.P. Government could so easily take such a serious decision is an evidence of what a Provincial Government, in spite of its limited constitutional power, can do, provided it has the mass support behind it. It is impossible at this stage to anticipate what the millowners will do; but if they are not foolhardy enough not to see the signs of the time, they should without delay and with good grace accept the decision of the Government. In case they do not do so, the path of the Government is quite clear. They will have to enforce by legislation what they cannot get done by way of counsel and compromise. This is the revolutionary use of parliamentary procedure, and the U. P. Government should be congratulated for having taken the country one step forward in this path.

"The Cawnpore Mazdoor Sabha has already practically accepted the decision of the U. P. Government and passed a resolution expressing its desire to continue the strike until the compromise between the employers and the employees be an established fact. The U. P. Provincial Congress Committee is meeting on the 26th next. What its decision will be in case the employers reject the decision of the U.P. Government is not hard to forestall. Its past history is a fair index of what it will do in future.

"The duty of all Provincial Trade Unions at this stage is quite clear. They should back up and try to raise as much money as possible for the help of the Cawnpore strikers and thus show that, in case of need, they can act as one body."—United Press.

NOTICE ON WORKERS

Model Mills' Warning Against Joining Strike

NAGPUR, June 22.

In the course of a notice addressed to the workers of the Model Mills, Nagpur, the management of the mills announce the acceptance of Government's decision regarding the restoration of 60 per cent. wage-cut.

The management, however, warn the workers against instigation by the Nagpur Textile Union to go on strike on July 1, and say that either the Mills will be closed down or new hands will be engaged if the workers resort to a strike.—United Press.

60 PER CENT INCREASE IN WAGES

NAGPUR, June 22.

The Nagpur Millowners and the Local Textile Union have received officially copies of Government's decision on the Textile Labour Enquiry Committee's Report yesterday.

Out of the two mills in Nagpur, the Empress Mills and the Model Mills, the Management of the latter has agreed and announced this morning their decision accepting Government's finding and agreeing to give increased wages with effect from 1st May to workers in their mills to the extent of 60 per cent.

Though so far no official statement has been issued by the Empress Mill authorities on the question of their attitude it is understood, that they will also agree to implement the wage restoration recommended by Government.

The attitude of millowners in other textile centres of the province like Akola, Jubbulpore, Hinganghat and Burhanpur will adopt as regards the Government's decision is not known at present here and some more time may be necessary for enabling them to communicate to Government their final views on the subject.—A. P.

The Annual General Meeting of the Bombay Taxi Drivers' Union was held on Tuesday at the C. J. Hall under the presidentship of Mr. S. H. Jhabvala, M. L. A., who is seen here standing 6th from left in front row.

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Periodical Conferences To Establish Closer Relations

(From Our Correspondent).

NAGPUR: June 22.

The C. P. Government has decided to revive the practice of holding fortnightly Press conferences with the object of establishing closer relations with the Press and of explaining special items of information relating to matters of public interest. These conferences will be attended by Press representatives and Press correspondents and also by secretaries and heads of Departments, if necessary. They will be held on every alternate Saturday at 3 p.m. in the Secretariat.

The first conference will be held on July 9.

It is understood that Premier Dr. Khare will attend the first conference.

ASSAULT ON SOCIAL WORKER ECHO

Subhas Urged To Enquire Into Matter

(From A Correspondent.)

BEAWAR, (By Mail.)

Mr. Prahalad Rai Agarwal, the convener of the Beawar Citizens meeting has sent a letter to Mr Subhas Chandra Bose, President, Indian National Congress, requesting him to institute an inquiry committee to inquire impartially into the incident which took place during the session of the Jaipur Rajya Praja-Mandal held under the presidentship of Seth Jamnalal Bajaj.

A copy of the resolution of Beawar Citizens' Meeting and the statement of Mr. Gopilal Sharma has also been sent to the Working Committee of the Indian National Congress through the President.

LINE CLEAR FOR CONGRESS?

KARACHI: June 22.

It is reliably understood that the Congress will soon capture another seat in the Sind Legislative Assembly. This will make the number of Congress members in the Assembly ten.

Mr. Lalchand Advani (Zamindars' candidate), who was opposing Dr. Choithram P. Gidwani (Congress), in the by-election from the Hyderabad constituency, caused by the death of Dewan Hiranand Khemsingh, has agreed to withdraw in favour of the Congress candidate.—United Press.

ORIENTAL EDUCATION CONGRESS

TOKYO (By Mail).

An Oriental Education Congress, with the motto "Light Comes From the East," will meet here in 1940 to found an educational system peculiar to the Orient. The event will occur on the 2,600th anniversary of the founding of the Japanese Empire and take place in either spring or summer.

Manchukuo, North China, the Philipines, Siam and India are understood by the Hochi to have agreed already to participate.

JAPAN GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TO WEAR NATIONAL UNIFORMS

TOKYO (By Mail).

A common uniform for national and local Government employees and school teachers will be adopted if the plan of Mr. Kiichiro Noguchi, director of the Kawasaki Motorcar Company and Seiyukai member of the Lower House is approved, according to the Yomiuri.

Officials of the sanitation bureau of the Welfare Ministry soon are to hear Mr. Noguchi in detail about his plan which he has submitted to the Government through a Diet Committee. His idea is said to be formed as a result of adoption aboad some years ago of a national party uniform by Fascist countries. The present plan will precede a larger scheme, says the Yomiuri, for clothing all subjects in a uniform.

Mail Bag Looted

PATNA, June 22.

A telephonic message just received here from Bhagalpore states one mail bag was looted by dacoits from the platform of Sultanganj Railway Station last evening.

It appears that when the mail peon arrived at the platform, he was confronted by a number of men who assaulted him with lathis and snatched and carried away the bag.

The condition of the peon is precarious.—United Press.

MILL MANAGER KEEPS MUM

JUBBULPORE, June 22.

Interviewed in connection with the serving of a notice on him by the President of the Jubbulpore Mazdoor Union, intimating the workers' decision to strike work from July 1, Mr. K. H. Bhat, Manager of Raja Gokuldas Mills Ltd., said that the Management was prepared to implement the recommendations of the C. P. Textile Inquiry Committee.

Mr. Bhat refused to say whether the Management will declare a lock-out if the workers declared a strike.—United Press.

Madras Postpones Introduction Of Wardha Plan

MADRAS, June 22.

It is understood that the Government of Madras have deferred the introduction of the Wardha scheme of education for a year owing to the paucity of trained teachers to impart education to children under that system.

It is learnt that the Government are proposing to train up 50 teachers before the next year according to the Wardha scheme of education at Mettur which is considered to be a very suitable place for the same.—A.P.

Mahakoshal Local Bodies' Employees

JUBBULPORE, June 22.

At the open session of the Mahakoshal Local Bodies' Employees' Association held here yesterday with Mr. H. V. Kamath Co-ordination Officer of the A.I.C.C., in the chair, the following office-bearers were elected for the current year:—

President: Dr. G. DaSilva; Vice-President: Mr. Byohar Rajendra Sinha; Secretary: Mr. D. C. Verma and Joint Secretary: Mr. Laljee Garg.

An Executive Committee with 18 members was also formed at the meeting.—United Press.

ASSAM PRESS IN 1936-'37

SHILLONG (By Mail).

"The tone of the Press was on the whole moderate although some of the papers vehemently criticised the policy of the Government", says the report on the administration of literature and the Press in Assam for the year 1936-37

No action, the report adds, was taken against any newspaper or Press in the year under report, under the Indian Press (Emergency Powers) Act of 1931. The number of newspapers published in the Province during the year was 20, three of them being in English, two in Anglo-Vernacular and 15 in vernacular. There were 46 periodicals published during the year as against 35 in the previous year.

Sixteen books were registered under the Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867, as against 54 in the previous year. There was, however, no proscription during the year under review.

2 ARRESTED FOR ANTI-HINDUSTANI PROTEST

MADRAS, June 22.

Two men were arrested for having posted themselves in front of the Premier's residence yesterday as a protest against the compulsory introduction of Hindustani.

Mr. R. Srinivasan (Depressed Class leader) in a statement to the press took objection to the method adopted by the anti-Hindi agitationists in enlisting the support of Harijans to their cause. Mr. Srinivasan held that the Premier's recent speeches in this connection should dispel all opposition to the introduction of Hindustani in selected schools in this Presidency.—A. P

It is understood that Maulana Shaukat Ali and Haji Sir Abdulla Haroon will shortly visit the North-West Frontier Province in connection with the formation of a Muslim League Party in the Frontier Assembly.

Alleged Sattorian Of Nadiad Arrested

(From A Correspondent)

NARSANDA, June 20.

Following a sensational raid carried out by Sub-Inspector Megha on a gambling den in Nadiad, Santilal Kalidas, an alleged Sattoria was arrested on Friday last.

He will be produced before the Magistrate charged with Sutta gambling.

Edgar Wallace's Detective Story Day By Day

INSPECTOR WADE — THE GALLOW'S HAND

IT'S EMPTY, ALL RIGHT---
HORSES' TRACKS! THAT MEANS--WADE AN' CREWE HAVE BEEN CAPTURED!
WE'LL HAVE TO FOLLOW 'EM IN TH' PLANE---
IF WE CAN--- D'YOU KNOW WHAT THAT CLOUD MEANS, DONAVAN?
AND MILES AWAY, THE GALLOWS' HAND RIDES---
SPUR YOUR HORSES! SANDSTORM!
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